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# Ottawa County Times.

VOL. XI.

HOLLAND, MICHIGAN, OCTOBER 3, 1902.

NO. 38

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### ART FOR SCHOOLS.

An exhibition of pictures is to be held in this city, Oct. 7 to 10 inclusive, for the purpose of raising funds for purchasing pictures to be placed upon the walls of the public schools.

It is hoped that every one will endeavor to attend—not only for the assistance that will be given to the movement in a financial and social way by their presence, but also for the reason that a more intimate knowledge may be gained by every one of the work that is being done in and for the schools.

The exhibition is worthy of the careful study of even those most familiar with art history, and every one will find that much can be learned from it.

No city or town can afford to be lacking in the culture and refinement of its people. It is part of the work of the school to inculcate these qualities in the school children through every means it has at its disposal. Lately, it has come to be recognized that good pictures on the school walls, properly selected and properly hung, would be a great aid to school work in accomplishing this end. Through such a collection the pupil may acquire a knowledge of the history of art, become familiar with its masterpieces, and with time begin to appreciate the wholesome and refining influence that comes with a genuine feeling for the beautiful.

It is to be hoped all will attend the exhibition, and believe you will be more than repaid for the trouble and expense in the pleasure and profit you will gain for yourself, besides helping on the work.

Mr. C. Ver Schure will act as treasurer for the funds raised from the sale of tickets, same to be expended for pictures for the public schools. Do not miss it.

### KILLED WHILE WALKING ON TRACK.

Martius Van Tubergen, a pioneer of Allegan county, was the victim of a terrible accident late last Friday afternoon. He was taking a stroll along the interurban tracks from Waverly to Holland and had nearly reached the viaduct of the Pere Marquette Railway, when he was overtaken by a car coming from Grand Rapids, and terribly mangled and torn.

The car that caused the accident was in charge of motorman Wright and conductor Hartman and was at Holland at 3:20. When the motorman saw Van Tubergen on the track he vigorously rang the gong but the man did not step aside. He did not slack his speed until it was too late to prevent the accident. The motorman was not aware that the aged man was deaf and expected that he would step aside eventually as so many others do who risk their lives along the tracks of both the interurban and the railway.

Both legs were torn from the body of the victim and his head was smashed beyond recognition. Dr. H. Kremers was sent to the scene of the accident and undertaker Nibbelink took charge of the remains. Coroner Mastenbroek impaneled a jury consisting of H. W. Kiekintveld, L. De Loof, Gerrit Van Haften, A. Van Duren, A. Van Duren, A. Van den Berg and James Whelan. On Monday the jury rendered a verdict of accidental death and exonerated the men in charge of the car from all blame in the matter.

Van Tubergen was 80 years old and lived with his son J. W. Van Tubergen, at 255 Land street. He was born in the Netherlands and came to this country with the early emigrants of 1847, being a pioneer of Fillmore township. His wife died 11 years ago. Four sons and one daughter survive, J. W., John and Benjamin, of this city, Gerrit, of Grand Haven, and Mrs. C. Van der Bie of Holland.

The funeral took place Tuesday afternoon, services being held at the home of J. W. Van Tubergen, and at the Central avenue Christian Reformed church, Rev. H. Van Hoogen officiating.

### PIONEER DAY.

Delos Fall, state superintendent of public instruction, wishes the schools to observe Friday, Oct. 10, as "Pioneer Day," and to have appropriate exercises. In a circular issued on the subject, he says:

"In the hurry and rush of these early days of the twentieth century we sometimes nearly forget those who toiled and struggled to make our present condition possible. We of the present generation should not fail to express our deep sense of gratitude to the pioneer, who built better than they knew, in establishing our civic and educational institutions."

Dr. George Baker, who has practiced medicine in Holland for several years past, has sold his practice to his partner, Dr. Imus, who will continue the office. Dr. Baker will leave Holland for another field and his many friends will sincerely regret his departure.

### HOLLAND MISREPRESENTED.

The Pittsburg Leader in its Sunday issue a few weeks ago, when H. J. Heinz visited his factory here, published an article entitled, "A Bit of Sleepy Old Holland Found in Wide-awake America." The article says among other things:

"Unlike the 'Dutch taking Holland' Pittsburg brains and enterprise have fairly captured the Dutch."

"That may sound a little ambiguous, but when it is known that a bit of old Holland has been transplanted in America on the shores of Lake Michigan, and that the energy and push of Pittsburg business men have awakened the sleepy denizens of the place to its industrial and agricultural possibilities the paraphrase is not so far from the truth."

"The town of Holland—ten to one the reader has never heard of it—is one of the most picturesque spots in all America. It is so different. It is literally a slice of the Netherlands lifted up from the land of dykes and the Zuyder Zee and planted on American soil. There is everything Dutch there, from the windmills that one sees in books of travel to the wooden shoes and the quaint customs of fair Wilhelmina's subjects. The language is taught in the schools, is preached in the churches and spoken on the street. And the picturesque garb of the Dutch people is not an infrequent sight on the streets of Holland. They are trying co-operation out in Holland, too, and to date have been successful."

"Mr. H. J. Heinz, the wellknown Pittsburg business man and philanthropist, is regarded as the Columbus of Holland. It was he who discovered its advantages and roused the sleepy old Dutch residents to its possibilities. And now when he goes to Holland they hail him as a conquering hero."

"The original settlers there were content to plod along as they had been accustomed to doing in their own country, satisfied with themselves and their surroundings. We at first did not care to disturb them in their serenity, but finally Mr. Heinz paid a personal visit to the spot, and seeing that all that was needed was a little ginger, he proceeded to impart some of that necessary ingredient to the inhabitants, the result being, that they began to get a push on, and the place is now beginning to take on the airs of a full fledged city. This was the comment made by a representative of one of the leading newspapers."

"Last but not least, be it understood, the manufacture of wooden shoes is still engaged in and they are found on sale in the stores there, as they are still regarded by a certain percentage of the rural population as among the necessities of life. Holland can truthfully be spoken of as a colony that has been picked up in the Netherlands and transplanted across the Atlantic to the shores of Lake Michigan, still retaining the characteristics and traits of the Dutch people."

With all due respect to Mr. Heinz and his industry, we will say, that it did not require Pittsburg brains or ginger to wake up the citizens here. Holland has a good lot of brainy up-to-date business men, who have made Holland one of the best and most progressive cities in the state. Pittsburg people can rest assured that the citizens of Holland are thoroughly Americanized and are not the sleepy old Dutch windmill-woodenshoe people that the article would lead one to believe.

### NOVEMBER JURY.

The jurors for the November term of circuit court are:

Wm. C. Bond—Crockery.  
Thomas Hughes—Georgetown.  
Wm. Kusken—Grand Haven town.  
Giles Vogel—Holland town.  
Jacob Nyenhuis—Jamestown.  
John Weersing—Olive.  
John Pise—Polkton.  
John Zimmerman—Robinson.  
John Mulder—Spring Lake.  
Chester Lawton—Tallmadge.  
Martin Hughes—Wright.  
Geo. Den Herder—Zeeland.  
Geo. Walsh—Grand Haven, 1st ward.  
A. W. Ennoy—Grand Haven, 2nd ward.  
Gerrit Arkema—Grand Haven, 3rd ward.  
Reiger Beekman—Grand Haven, 4th ward.  
John Ter Beek—Holland, 1st Dist.  
Richard Vanden Berg—Holland, 2nd Dist.  
Henry Corlingh—Allendale.  
Paul Van Dyke—Chester.  
John C. Helzenga—Blendon.  
Arthur Hale—Crockery.  
Geo. W. Lowing—Georgetown.  
Wm. Emery—Grand Haven town.  
John Van der Poel—Holland town.  
Wm. Van Bronkhorst—Jamestown.  
John F. Bins—Olive.  
Fred Van Alsbury—Polkton.  
Sidney Clark—Robinson.  
O. D. White—Spring Lake.

Use F. M. C. Coffees.

### PERSONAL.

H. M. Meyers, one of Olive Center's well known residents, was in town on business Saturday.

Mrs. J. Ames of Saugatuck was here on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Van Oort and daughter visited in Grand Rapids Monday.

C. P. Gibbs and family of Pentwater were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wolfe, 224 East Seventh street, over Sunday. Mr. Gibbs has been agent of the Pere Marquette for the last fourteen years.

Rev. J. van der Ploeg and family of Coopersville are guests of relatives in Holland.

Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Cook will leave this morning for the Pacific coast, where they will spend the winter.

Miss Edith Oosting visited friends in Grand Rapids this week.

John W. Dekster returned home from a visit to friends in Chicago Saturday evening.

A. T. Alfrey left Sunday evening for Chicago to resume his studies at the Northwestern University Medical school.

A. H. Hagg, manager of the Michigan Telephone Co. at Muskegon, was in Holland Sunday.

Alderman Henry Geerlings left yesterday for Orange City, Iowa, for a week's visit with Prof. and Mrs. J. Kuisen. Mrs. Geerlings who has been visiting friends in the west for several weeks past, will accompany him on his return.

Harm Arnoldink of Crisp was in town on business yesterday. He spent several days visiting in Chicago last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hadden visited in Grand Rapids yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob R. Schepers visited in Grand Rapids Wednesday and yesterday.

Alva Doyer took in the fair at Grand Rapids yesterday.

Henry Hyma visited in Grand Rapids yesterday.

**WIFE OF PRESIDENT OF HOPE COLLEGE VISITS INSTITUTION.**

Mrs. J. A. Ote, wife of the president of Hope College, visited in Holland Saturday.

exercised. The venerable lady accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Ote, has been visiting friends in Holland and was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Post. At the college she was accompanied by Mrs. Ote and Mrs. Post. The students showed their appreciation and enthusiasm by greeting the visitors with the rousing college yell. After the customary chapel exercises, President Kollen in a short address paid a tender tribute to the memory of the first president of the college, Dr. Philip Phelps.

**Farmers' Mutual Insurance Co. of Ottawa and Allegan Counties.**

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Farmers' Mutual Insurance Company of Ottawa and Allegan counties will be held in Ossewaarde's Hall, in the village of Zeeland, county of Ottawa, on Wednesday, Oct. 8, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing officers, receiving reports of the past year, and for transacting such other business as shall lawfully come before said meeting.

**KASPER LAHUIS, Pres.**  
**HENRY BOSCH, Sec'y.**

**DE FEYTER-VAN HEUVELN.**  
Rev. Benjamin Van Heuvelen and Miss Carrie De Feyter were married last Tuesday evening at the home of the bride's father, A. De Feyter, 21 West Thirteenth street. They will reside at Atwood, Mich., where Rev. Van Heuvelen will settle as pastor of the Reformed church.

**DYKHUIZEN-MANSSENS.**  
At six o'clock Wednesday evening Miss Martha K. Dykhuizen became the bride of Rev. Folkert B. Manssens, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Bolt. Rev. G. Te Kolste, of Ebenezer, performed the ceremony. Rev. and Mrs. Manssens will reside at Raritan, Ill., where they will work in the congregation of the Reformed denomination.

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**NOTICE TO BEET GROWERS.**  
On account of the rainy weather lately the orders sent out for delivering beets this week will be extended to next week.

**HOLLAND SUGAR CO.,**  
Holland, Mich.

Dr. A. B. Spinney will be at Hotel Holland Tuesday, Oct. 14. Read ad in this issue.

## Cold Weather Goods

Coal you can not buy at any price, but we don't allow any one to get a corner on Dry Goods, as we have a store packed full from one end to the other.

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10 cent outing Flannel in short lengths .07

Ladies' all wool grey hose .19

And don't forget the heavy fleeced underwear we sell for .25

## Cloak Department

Have you visited our new cloak room yet? No stairs to climb, fine light and a good stock of **Cloaks and Capes** for ladies and children. Get our prices before you buy, and do not forget that we sell carpets and lace curtains on which we guarantee to save you money.

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## HOMESICK CADETS.

The New Man at West Point and the Pangs of Nostalgia.

The new man at West Point has one misfortune to endure throughout the first few weeks of his course—he must suffer the pangs of homesickness. He has entered upon a course of discipline quite unlike anything in his experience. Every act of his daily life is regulated by an inflexible system. He has no friend at hand; the word sympathy seems to be unknown. Older cadets look on, understand, pity, but give no sign. H. Irving Hancock says in "Life at West Point":

It is a common sight for a cadet corporal, going into the room of a "plebe," to find him seated at his table, pen in hand and a sheet of paper before him, staring blankly at the paper or the wall. The cadet corporal takes in the scene before him.

"Homesick, mister?" he asks.

"Yes, sir!" replies the plebe, looking shamefaced.

"Sure sign a new man's homesick when he's caught at study table writing his resignation," rejoins the corporal composedly.

The plebe, wondering how it is that the cadet corporal is such a mild reader, flushes, looks at the sheet before him and slowly tears it up.

"That's right!" says the corporal. Then, with a momentary touch of sympathy, he goes on: "Don't get down in the mouth, mister. I've been through the nostalgia drill myself. It's tough on you, but when you've been here a little while there's no indecent on earth that could make you leave of your own choice. Brace up! Homesickness hits 'em all at first."

Then the corporal glances about and falls at once into the brusque tone of the instructor.

"See here, mister," he remarks, "polishing is one of the most important duties of the soldier. Your shoe brush is out of place. Haven't I told you where it belongs? And you cap is on your bed. Now, mister!"

So he goes on with a list of criticisms which at once reduce life to a practical level. The plebe has enough to do for the next half hour in "tidying up," and at the end of that time he is not tempted to resume his letter. At least, he puts it off for one day more.

## PICKINGS FROM FICTION.

It's a great thing to be of some use in the world.—Brinton Elliot.

If not sure of the merit of your ideas, quote them as another's.—Myra of the Pines.

The woman who makes a doornat of herself will always be trodden upon.—"Fables for the Elite."

Those who have not been imposed upon are a thief's equal, with a thief's discernment.—"The Fool."

If a man is obliged to make a fool of himself, it is best he should afford amusement to others while doing so.—"The Minority."

No man should ever try to be artless. He is too clumsy. It is like trying to do miniature painting with a white-wash brush.—"The Riddle of Life."

When once a woman has the folly to plead for herself, in that moment she murders love, and every tear she sheds thereafter becomes another cloud upon his grave.—Margaret Tudor.

A woman is all heart and sentiment, and while her fortress is a strong one, yet she expects to be conquered, and once she surrenders she loves no one more than her conqueror.—Buell Hampton.

A Change Had Come Over Him.

There are some things in this world for which not even the most profound rural philosopher can account to his own satisfaction.

"I never saw an animal move so slowly before in all my life," cried an exasperated traveler in a New Hampshire stage, behind which the clouds of a rapidly rising storm were growing blacker every moment. "Can't the horse go any faster? You had an excellent one ten years ago, when I used to spend the summer here."

"That's the curious thing about it," said the driver, gazing first at his steed and then at the uneasy passenger in a mildly speculative way. "This horse is the very same identical horse that I drove that summer. I don't know what in tunket's got into him! He seems to have lost his animation."—Youth's Companion.

His Free Will Offering.

"What's that \$5 kept out of my salary for?" demanded the employee of the state institution.

"That's your voluntary contribution for campaign purposes," blandly replied the superintendent.

"But it isn't a voluntary contribution. You're no right to hold it out on me. That wasn't in the bargain. I never heard anything about it before. It is a gouge, and I won't stand it!"

"But you have to pay it, you know, or lose your job. Does it go?"

"Y-yes."

"Well, that's why we call it voluntary."—Chicago Tribune.

If you want a good job done, take your watch to C. A. Stevenson, he has the finest workmen in the city.

## MITCHELL AND BAER

U. M. W. President Replies to Recent Statements of the Reading President.

CALL FOR TROOPS IS REFUTATED

Sheriff Says He Asked for None—More Cavalry Ordered Out—Boston Men Go into Court for Relief.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 29.—Some of the local coal operators, after being shown a copy of the statement issued by President Mitchell yesterday, say it will probably be the last he will give to the public before the ending of the strike. They say that his appeal is made up of generalities. At strike headquarters Mitchell's latest deliverance is termed a "ten strike," and it is stated that the facts and figures he presents are irrefutable. The military authorities, Sheriff Jacobs and some of the superintendents of the coal companies in this vicinity held a meeting in the office of one of the coal companies Saturday evening and talked over a plan by which the troops can be moved promptly to scenes of disturbance.

Purpose of the Militia.

It is not the purpose of the military to do police duty, but if any of the companies can get men to go to work the soldiers will give them protection. It is reported again that attempts will be made today to resume work at several collieries in this region which have been idle since the strike began, but the report cannot be verified. At strike headquarters it was claimed that there will be no change in the situation this week, which is the twenty-first of the strike; that the strikers are as firm as ever, and that there will be no desertions from the ranks to make it possible for the coal companies to start up any new collieries.

Another Troop Ordered Out.

Harrisburg, Pa., Sept. 29.—Governor Stone yesterday ordered the Sheridan troop, of Tyrone, to report to General Gobin for duty in the anthracite strike territory. The troop left Tyrone last evening by special train.

Says His Name Was Unauthorized.

Shenandoah, Pa., Sept. 29.—Sheriff Knorr, of Columbia county, says he did not sign nor authorize his name to be signed to the telegram which was sent to Governor Stone asking that troops be sent to Centralia, and the miners' leaders here, headed by Terence Gintley, of the executive board, have telegraphed the governor to that effect, and to guarantee the surrender to the authorities of all accused persons.

Gobin's Say in the Controversy.

Harrisburg, Pa., Sept. 29.—Governor Stone called up General Gobin by telephone last night and advised him that he had received a telegram from Shenandoah advising him that the call for troops to Columbia county was a forgery. General Gobin replied that the sheriff's call for soldiers was authentic, and that Sheriff Knorr had sent his deputy to him (Gobin) for troops.

JOHN MITCHELL'S STATEMENT

He Replies to Baer's Allegations Relative to the Coal Strike.

Philadelphia, Sept. 29.—John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers, has written a statement in reply to recent utterances of Baer, president of the Reading railway. Mitchell says in part: "Mr. Baer states that 'the wages paid in the anthracite coal regions are, compared with the wages paid in like employment, fair and just.' By 'like employment' Mr. Baer must refer to bituminous coal mining. I am willing and prepared to demonstrate that wages in the bituminous coal fields are from 20 to 40 per cent. higher than those paid for similar classes of work in the anthracite fields." He then presents figures to prove that assertion, and adds that the danger in anthracite mines to life is greater than in bituminous.

Mitchell says: "There are other statements of Mr. Baer which are equally incorrect; among these is his assertion that 'the miners only worked from four to six hours per day,' and his further assertion 'that the lowest scale of wages was 85 cents for boy slate pickers.' If Mr. Baer desires I shall gladly furnish him with the names and addresses of thousands of slate pickers, each of whom received much less than 85 cents per day, and I shall be willing to have the returns verified by the companies pay rolls."

"The next misstatement of Mr. Baer to which I shall give notice is that which claims that 'for some mysterious reason' the miners restricted the output of the mines. Mr. Baer claims 'that in this manner the product of the collieries has been reduced about 12 1/2 per cent. and that in the case of the Reading company it amounted to more than 1,000,000 tons.'"

Mitchell then quotes figures from official reports and The Engineering and Mining Journal to show that this statement is wide of the truth, and that even the per capita output was increased, not diminished.

He also denies that the United Mine Workers seeks to interfere with the management of the coal properties, that the organization is lawless, and that the companies cannot pay the increase demanded. He declares that the hired guards are lawless, however, and that their acts are charged to the miners. He declares the statement that the 40 per cent. of the coal mined being less in the market than

the case of mining misreading, because it leaves out of account the coal that is sold, for which the miners receive no pay.

He closes with the declaration that the fight is not so and for the present generation of miners as it is for the little children "prematurely doomed to the whirl of the mill and the noise and blackness of the breaker" . . . to win a life for the child and secure for it a place in the world in keeping with advancing civilization."

BULLETIN REPLY TO TROOPS

Night Alarms in the Military Camp—Break of a High Constable.

Scranton, Pa., Sept. 29.—Late Saturday night shots were fired by the troops at supposed strikers for the first time since the troops went afield. At Grassy Island colliery, half a mile from the Thirteenth's camp, two soldiers from Company A were stationed in a patch of underbrush, as part of an outpost to the camp. A volley of stones descended all about them, and one of them striking one of the soldiers fell him to the ground. The two soldiers shot at fleeing figures, and a rifle detail, attracted by the firing, scoured the country for two hours in a fruitless search for the stone-throwers.

At 12:30 yesterday morning a shot was heard on a hillside near the camp and a searchlight which Colonel Watres had just gotten into working order was turned in the direction whence the shots came. A man with a gun was descried rushing to the cover of the woods. The rays of the searchlight were kept upon him, and after a short chase a couple of soldiers from the outpost on the hill ran him down. He proved to be Michael Gargan, the high constable of Olyphant borough. The only explanation he vouchsafed to Colonel Watres was: "I wanted to try out your soldiers and see if they were to be depended upon." The colonel concluded to let the county court deal with his case. The gun was confiscated.

BASED ON CHAPLIN'S THEORY

Receiver Is Asked by Boston Citizens for the Anthracite Properties.

Boston, Sept. 29.—A committee of citizens, headed by the publisher of a Boston newspaper, Saturday sought relief in the courts from the present coal shortage and high prices by asking for a receiver for the coal companies and coal-carrying roads. A bill-in-equity was filed in the supreme court against the corporations involved in the anthracite strike. The petitioners ask that a receiver be appointed, upon such terms and in such manner, and with such agents and servants, and with such rates of wages and other conditions of employment, and at such prices for goods produced and sold, as the court shall from time to time adjudge proper.

The bill is based upon the legal theory of the coal situation given by H. W. Chaplin, a lawyer. Chaplin says in support of his position: "Since the public have a right in the mines—a right to have coal forthwith mined for immediate consumption—and have a right to have that coal immediately transported out of the mine regions by the coal-carrying roads, a court of equity if no other solution of the difficulty is open, has authority to, and upon the application of a representative proportion of the people undoubtedly would, appoint a receiver or receivers to take into his or their hands the whole business now in the hands of the anthracite coal combine, and to run it in their place."

LEG IS PRETTY SORE

President Has to Have It Lanced—Bone Is Slightly Injured—Cortelyou Issues a Statement.

Washington, Sept. 29.—Secretary Cortelyou at 3:30 p. m. yesterday issued the following statement:

Dr. Newton M. Shaffer, of New York, joined the president's physicians in consultation this morning at 10 o'clock. The increase in local symptoms and a rise in temperature rendered it necessary to make an incision into the small cavity, exposing the bone, which was found to be slightly affected.

"Thorough drainage is now established, and the physicians feel confident that recovery will be uninterrupted. The operation was performed by Surgeon General Rixey, assisted by Dr. Lung, and in consultation with Surgeon General O'Reilly and Doctors Shaffer, Urie and Stitt."

Four Stockmen Killed in Wreck.

Princeton, Ill., Sept. 28.—Four stockmen were killed and two seriously injured in a rear-end collision on the Burlington road at 3 o'clock in the morning. A Burlington passenger train crashed into a stock train. The passenger engine telescoped the caboose. The dead: George Stewart, Winchester, Ill.; A. H. Canthers, Table Grove, Ill.; A. H. Wagner, Prairie City, Ill.; W. L. Collins, Bardolph, Ill. The seriously injured: L. B. Wisely, Maxville, Ill.; N. B. Johnson, Avon, Ill.

Three Little Boys Found Drunk.

Pay City, Mich., Sept. 29.—Three little boys were found drunk on the steps of the Fremont school. Acquaintances got them to their homes before the police patrol wagon was called. Mayor Cunningham instructed the police to ascertain who the saloon man that sold the liquor is, and prosecute him.

Theosophists at Chicago.

Chicago, Sept. 29.—The annual convention of the Theosophical society opened here Saturday night with delegates present from Canada, Honolulu, England, France and other European countries.

## FIELD AND GARDEN

A GOOD REPORT ON RYE.

The Mammoth White Variety—Rye as a Cover Crop.

We sowed a small patch of the Mammoth white rye last fall, and cut it this year (June 12) and send you a picture of a small bundle of it. The man is 5 feet 11 inches tall, so you can get an idea of the growth it made, much of it being over eight feet high, and most of it over seven feet from the ground to the top of the head. The heavy rains and wind lodged it badly before it was ready to cut, so that nearly all the straw was more or less broken. We picked out a few of the soundest straws to make a bundle



MAMMOTH WHITE RYE.

for illustration. Our land is light, sandy loam. We generally sow five acres or more of rye every year for a crop, the grain to supplement the corn crop for the hogs and the straw for bedding. We also use a good deal of rye every year to sow for a cover crop for the winter on ground intended for corn, potatoes and oat and pea hay the following season.—Cor. Ohio Farmer.

A MOST PROMISING CROP.

The Sugar Beet in Michigan, California, Colorado and Utah.

The most promising crop for this year in Michigan is the sugar beet, as it has endured the heavy rains of the past two months very well. Cultivation and weeding have been greatly retarded and conducted with extra expense. Still the outlook for good returns is promising. Michigan in its fifth year in this branch of agriculture has made a marvelous advance, and it seems destined to take the place of lumbering, so long the chief industry of the state. The progress this year is worthy of especial mention. Ninety-eight thousand acres of sugar beets are now growing, old factories are being enlarged and new ones built to meet the increased demand.

During the five years that Michigan farmers have been experimenting in raising sugar beets they have learned many things in the dear school of experience. Possibly the most important one is that the successful cultivation of the beet requires more care than any other crop grown on our soil, but that it pays correspondingly larger if certain conditions are observed. Low land should be tilled, the ground must be plowed deep and much attention paid to the seedling. Thinning at the right time is important, and it is absolutely essential that weeds should be kept down. Leaves must not be injured nor the beets bruised or cut in digging, topping or pitting. Arrangements should be made in advance of the time when they will be needed for a generous supply of helpers. The farmer's pay roll will be large, but his cash returns will be much larger.

Only the states that have engaged in this industry can fully realize its importance, unappreciated by the public at large. The statistics from the department of agriculture show that 250,513 acres of beets were sown this year against 137,925 last year. The four states which have made the most notable increase in area—Michigan, California, Colorado and Utah—own 88 per cent of the acreage of the entire country. Michigan shows an increase of acreage in one year of nearly 70 per cent, causing her to take rank as the leading state in the area devoted to this new but valuable product. It is authoritatively stated that three-fourths of our wheat and corn crops go to pay for our imported sugar, and there is no reason to doubt that the consumption of sugar will keep pace with our increase of population.—Cor. Country Gentleman.

Bugs and Turkeys.

The deadly enemy of grasshoppers and other insect pests, according to Field and Farm, is the plain domestic turkey, which farmers, sugar beet growers and fruit culturists all over Colorado are now raising and turning into the fields and orchards to eat the insects. The turkey as a bug killer is creating a good deal of interest in all sections, and turkey eggs for hatching have been in much demand.

SEA FLOWERS AS PETS.

The Queer Little Creatures Known as Anemones.

The queerest pets in the world are kept in a beautiful row of clear, flashing, round glass tanks on an upper floor of a large aquarium. As you approach the tanks you behold glowing little groups of color and artistic blending and mingling of fantastic weeds and shining stones. Then when you peer into the tanks you see what at first seem to you just like particularly handsome and gorgeous flowers growing all over the little rockeries. Some of the flowers look like dainty pink and white and yellow and purple and crimson dahlias. Others look almost like daisies, with delicate petals. Others look like little star flowers, all pure white and perfect. These flowers are of all sizes, from tiny ones barely large enough to see to great ones almost large enough to fill a saucer.

But if you will watch these "flowers" for a few minutes you will jump suddenly, for all at once you will see one move its petals. Then you will see another and another do it. Slowly the petals unfold or contract, with little jerking movements, sometimes twining in the water like snakes.

Tap smartly on the table on which the tanks stand, and like lightning all the petals will have disappeared. These sea flowers are really not flowers at all. They are living creatures, known as sea anemones.

For many years a scientist has tended and fed them, and the little animated flowers actually have come to know him. When he feeds them, he puts a little bit of fish on the end of a long pointed stick and puts it carefully down into the water until it is near the anemone. It did not take long for the beautiful things to understand it, and, whereas at first they used to withdraw their petals and shut up tightly when the stick approached, now they twine gracefully and stretch their dainty arms out as far as they can go in order to reach it.—London Answers.

True Sympathy.

Tom—Why so melancholy, old man?

Jack—Miss Jones rejected me last night.

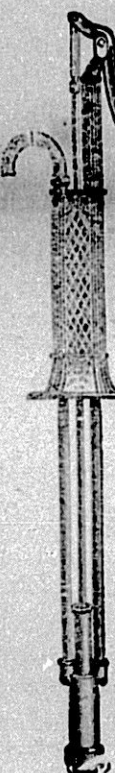
Tom—Well, brace up. There are others.

Jack—Yes, of course; but somehow I can't help feeling sorry for the poor girl.—Chicago News.

Too Much Promised.

"Did her father forgive her for running off and getting married?"

"Yes; the old man said that he would forgive and forget them."—Indianapolis News.



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## FOR HONEST GOVERNMENT

### Principles that Appeal to Every Patriotic Citizen

Platform Adopted by the Democratic State Convention in Detroit  
July 31, 1902

We, the representatives of the Democracy of Michigan in convention assembled, realizing that the people of the state are face to face with a crisis in which the honor and welfare of the commonwealth of its citizens are at stake, do hereby proclaim the following declaration of principles:

We hold that when government is by and for the people, has been destroyed by the seizure of the political machinery of the dominant party by men who use power of government so gained to further only selfish and mercenary ends, as in Michigan to-day, the first duty of the patriot is to wrest this power from its unworthy possessors and restore it to the people.

We therefore declare the supreme issue in this state, at this time, to be the destruction of boss rule, the restoration of political power to the people, and its employment for the good of all instead of for the advantage of a few.

To this end we pledge the Democratic party to the following reforms:

It is a matter of common knowledge that the state administration secured place and power two years ago only by gross fraud and the manipulation of uses and nominating conventions, and again this year similar methods have been employed to secure its continuance in power. Therefore, such a reform of the primary nominating system that the people shall be the supreme and final arbiters of nomination to office is imperative.

To this end we are in favor of legislation by which primary elections of all parties for the direct nomination of candidates shall be held at the same time and places under the supervision of public officials and regulated by law.

The right of local self-government is fundamental and must be preserved by the repeal of the so-called ripper legislation and by constitutional amendments limiting the power of the legislature over municipal

corporations and guaranteeing home rule.

The election of United States senators by direct vote of the people.

The adoption of the system known as the initiative and referendum, with the imperative mandate.

Equal taxation and equitable assessments throughout the state, so that the humblest citizen shall pay no more in proportion than the most powerful public service corporation.

And we condemn the present administration for its abuse of the state tax law and manipulation of the state tax commission in behalf of the Michigan Central railroad and other powerful corporations, as openly charged by well-known Republicans.

We denounce the profligate expenditure and waste of the people's money, which has resulted in the increase of the state tax from \$1,443,000 in 1891, to \$3,188,000 in 1901, at a rate more than seven times as great as the increase in population during the same period.

Since the state will shortly be confronted by a claim for damages made by the Michigan Central Railroad Company and involving many millions of dollars, we insist that the defense of the people's rights can not safely be left to the present administration, which is notoriously friendly to its interests and subject to its control.

We are in favor of adequate compensation for state appointments for honest and faithful service, but we are opposed to such appointments traveling the state at public expense, ostensibly doing service for the state but in fact manipulating caucuses and conventions in the interest of the administration which appointed them.

And we pledge the nominees of this convention, if elected, to correct such abuses.

We favor the principle of municipal ownership of public utilities, subject to the referendum.

The point that, as it seems, the farmers have not yet grasped, is that there is only one form of protest which hoodlums and machine managers heed, and that they will not loosen their grip on the republican organization until the objection is filed in the polls. They are exceedingly practical men. They are not at all concerned about the wishes or convictions or displeasure of any man who will give them his vote. If the farmers of the state want the machine smashed, and there is pretty good evidence that they are weary of its domination and ashamed of its acts and its candidates, they must be honest with themselves and recognize the fact that the only way to smash it is by voting against it. And they have been given a noble opportunity this year. The democratic party, in response to a popular demand coming quite as much from without as from within the party, chose a gubernatorial nominee whose qualities of citizenship are such that no honest man need hesitate to cast a ballot for him, thereby rebuking, condemning and disarming hoodlums, Blaisdell, ripperism and Michigan Centralism, in all the forms in which they have vexed and despoiled the state.—Detroit Tribune.

Utterly lacking in leadership; totally unfitted for the high office of Governor, his appetite for office had grown to great proportions. By corrupting caucuses and conventions; by the most infamous use of money; by promises of pap to professional tricksters and politicians; by surrendering to a political syndicate everything of the dignity and honor of an office that an intelligent, capable and competent man would cherish, Gov. Bliss received the nomination for Governor. There was no demand from the people for his nomination. The corrupt use of money made the demand. Paid hirelings nominated him and the prestige of President McKinley, together with over 100,000 republican majority in Michigan elected him. Even then he ran over 25,000 behind his ticket in his state. Now he is tempting the time fate that has always befallen him when it comes to re-election. Sentiment two years ago had not crystallized as it is to-day. Then he ran 25,000 behind in a national election, when men generally vote their tickets straight. This year will be an off year when republicans will vote more independently. Sentiment is more united against hoodlums and railroad domination than ever before. If the machine insists upon forcing his re-nomination down the throats of a people heartily sick and disgusted with his methods, and more disgusted with his weak surrender of the dignity of his office, the "machine" must take the consequences. Gov. Bliss may be commiserated. Snap caucuses and conventions have been held because the lightning indignation of the people was eased. There always comes a day of reckoning however, and we believe that this will take place next November, when the people of this state will record their judgment. Unless we are mistaken history will repeat itself. For the sixth time Gov. Bliss will be voted a one-term.—Hastings Banner, June 12, 1902.

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## NEWS OF THE STATE.

Telegraphic Reports of Matters of General Interest to Our Readers.

### MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS BY WIRE

Items Prepared with Special Care for the Convenience of Our Own Readers.

Saginaw, Mich., Sept. 29.—Governor Bliss last night tendered the United States senatorship, made vacant by the death of Hon. James McMillan, to General Russell A. Alger, of Detroit. The tender was made by telegraph.

General Alger has accepted the appointment as senator.

Detroit, Sept. 29.—Dr. J. B. Kennedy, manager of Dexter M. Ferry's campaign for the United States senate, announced that Ferry had withdrawn from the contest. This decision on the part of Ferry was the result of a conference of party leaders. Ferry made public this letter:

"Under existing conditions I have decided to withdraw my candidacy for the vacancy in the United States senate from this state. I believe that this course will tend to promote harmony and thus be for the best interests of the Republican party.

McMillan Will Obey Ferry.

"General Alger is a Republican, he is also my friend and fellow-townsmen and from this time forward I shall support his candidacy for the position named." W. C. McMillan, son of the late Senator McMillan, and leader of the McMillan forces in the state who were supporting Ferry's candidacy, said: "Mr. Ferry has indicated the course he desires his friends to follow. I for one shall follow his wishes." Benjamin Hauchett, of Saginaw, who was a receptive candidate, has also withdrawn, leaving a clear field for Alger.

### FIREMAN ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

As He Sat in His Place in the Engine—Stray Bullet Found Him.

Iron Mountain, Mich., Sept. 29.—Joe Koucha, the fireman on train No. 65 of the Milwaukee road, a fast freight, was shot and instantly killed while the train was running about thirty-five miles an hour yesterday. The accident occurred as the train was passing Bocher lake, just south of Pembine.

The fireman was sitting in his accustomed place in the cab and it is supposed that the shot was a stray one from some hunter. The body was taken to Pembine, Wis.

### Students Should Grin and Bear It.

Lansing, Mich., Sept. 29.—President Snyder, in his address to the freshmen of the Agricultural college, said that expulsion would follow class scraps. As to hazing, he advised the victim to maintain a dignified silence. "There is always some hazing by individuals who don't know any limit," said Prexy, "but bear it as well as you can, for we all meet disagreeable things in this world. Life's too short to resent every insult or annoyance."

### In Trouble with Local Option.

Charlotte, Mich., Sept. 29.—Samuel Robinson has been bound over to the circuit court on the charge of violating the local option law. His attorney gave security for costs and a warrant was issued for the Grand Rapids detective who accumulated evidence in the local option cases, charging the detective himself with violating the law. It is alleged that he gave booze to other parties, who have figured as witnesses.

### He Claims \$30,000 from Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 29.—I. L. Landis, of Chicago, says that this city is indebted to him \$30,000. Landis claims to hold letters patent governing the placing of a steel band along outer edge of street curbing and alleges that 60,000 feet of walk has been laid in Grand Rapids with the steel band. He backs up his claim with a decision of an Illinois circuit court in a similar case.

### Wasn't Afraid to Steal.

Nagaunee, Mich., Sept. 29.—Kittie Milroy, a 15-year-old girl expelled from school for refusing to obey her teacher, was afraid to go home. She secured \$15 from a business man in her mother's name and left town that evening. Her whereabouts were discovered in Chicago, where she was held awaiting the arrival of her brother.

### Cold Lead for a Peacemaker.

Jackson, Mich., Sept. 29.—George Smith, living about nine miles north of here was killed, and Fred Schloff is charged with the murder. Schloff had been abusing his wife and when the officers went to arrest him he fired a bullet hitting Smith, a neighbor. Schloff was finally placed under arrest.

### Both Ankles Badly Hurt.

Jackson, Mich., Sept. 29.—Vernon G. Town, a brakeman on the Michigan Central, had both ankles badly injured by falling from a box car into a flat car. He could not see owing to the fog. A number of tramps was on the flat car. They called help and rendered aid to the injured man.

### Done by a Gasoline Stove.

Adrian, Mich., Sept. 30.—A gasoline stove in charge of Charles Craig, a colored cook, set fire to the grand stand on the fair grounds at the race track. Several employees narrowly escaped. The big structure was quickly destroyed. Loss \$500.

### MICHIGAN TO MAKE WINE

Great Crops of Grapes Lead the State to a New Industry—Wine Presses Starting.

Lake Corn, Mich., Sept. 30.—Six hundred tons of Concord grapes will be converted into grape juice at one mill that has just been started at Lawton, Van Buren county. The product will be 200,000 gallons, from grapes now being picked. The new concern at Lawton has a capital of \$400,000, and another press will be established there. The plant is being managed by Frank E. Morrill, one of the practical grape growers of this section.

Another press, with a capital of \$50,000, on the association plan, will be established this year at Lake Cora, which has become the center of some of the finest grape country in Michigan. Identified with this enterprise will be John Hiling, one of the pioneer grape growers of the fruit belt. These new ventures have become necessary because of the increase in grape acreage and the enormity of the crop.

### JUDGE WEIST'S ROAST OF ROOS

Last of the Military Hoodlums Gets a Terrible Baking Over.

Lansing, Mich., Sept. 26.—"I would rather be dead, leaving an honorable name, than to stand where you are today, a living disgrace to the profession from which you have been cast out, and convicted of felony. If you have the instincts of a manly man, life can contain nothing but remorse for you in the future." That was what Judge Weist said to Elbert S. Roos, whom he designated as "the last of the military fraud criminals," then he fined him \$2,000 for his share in the fraud.

The judge added: "Your sentence closes the military fraud case. When the people forget the criminals who plundered the people, then you may perhaps raise your head among men, but I apprehend that your name and the names of the others will, as long as you and they live, remind the people of the crime and the part you and they took in it, and this knowledge when you meet your fellows, I take it, will not be the least of your punishment."

### Michigan's Game Law Void.

St. Joseph, Mich., Sept. 30.—Judge O. W. Coolidge, of St. Joseph, has caused a sensation by offering an opinion that the present state game law is void. As a result hundreds of hunters in Bureau county will open the season Oct. 1 instead of Oct. 20, the questioned legal date. Many deputy game wardens will be in the field to cause the arrest of alleged violators of law.

### Girl Is Very Unfortunate.

Bay City, Mich., Sept. 30.—Fr. Kozlowski, of Stanislaus church, proposes to take a hand in the case of Josephine Nowak, the unfortunate deaf and dumb whose destiny now rests with the probate court. The girl is the mother of two children, and the object of the priest's efforts is to find the man who is responsible and prosecute him.

### Congratulations for Alger.

Detroit, Sept. 30.—General Alger has received many telegrams of congratulation from Republican leaders in all parts of the country upon his appointment by Governor Bliss to succeed Senator McMillan. There is scarcely any doubt that General Alger will be elected for the remainder of the term by the legislature, which will meet next January.

### William F. Mulkey Dead.

Detroit, Sept. 29.—William F. Mulkey, vice president of the Detroit Salt company, owner with his sons of the Kingman Salt Mining company of Kingman, Kan., and a large stockholder in the Toledo and Monroe Electric railroad, is dead at his home here. Mr. Mulkey came here in 1893 from Hutchinson, Kan.

### Chinaman Weds a White Girl.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Sept. 30.—Miss Alice Mills announces that Suatchuan C. Yin, a Chinese student who was quite a figure here two years ago, had married a Miss Marlette, formerly in the training school at Bellevue hospital, New York, and that the couple had gone to London, England.

### They Danced on the Street.

Traverse City, Mich., Sept. 27.—Three thousand people participated in a free ball on Front street given by the Traverse City band to celebrate the completion of the new pavement. The crowd was so large that it interfered with the dancing, but the concert was greatly enjoyed.

### Wanted to Drown Herself.

Ludington, Mich., Sept. 29.—Mrs. Charles Gibbs, a widow, has found wandering the streets in her night clothes at night, looking for the wharves. She wanted to drown herself. She had become insane. She is in a serious condition from exposure.

### Found Out in Colorado Paralyzed.

Flint, Mich., Sept. 27.—Stephen Ries, a Flint grocer who disappeared a month ago, leaving his wife and family, was found by a Flint man in a Colorado town helpless from a paralytic stroke. Ries has been brought back.

### He Fell 4,700 Feet.

Calumet, Mich., Sept. 27.—While ascending in a cage at the south Tamara mine Martin Verbantz fell out. His companions grasped him by the legs, but were compelled to let go, and the man fell 4,700 feet to his death.

### Fell into a Tank of Hot Ammonia.

Detroit, Sept. 27.—Frank Roulo, aged 35, was killed yesterday by falling into a tank of hot ammonia at the Michigan Carbon works in Delray.

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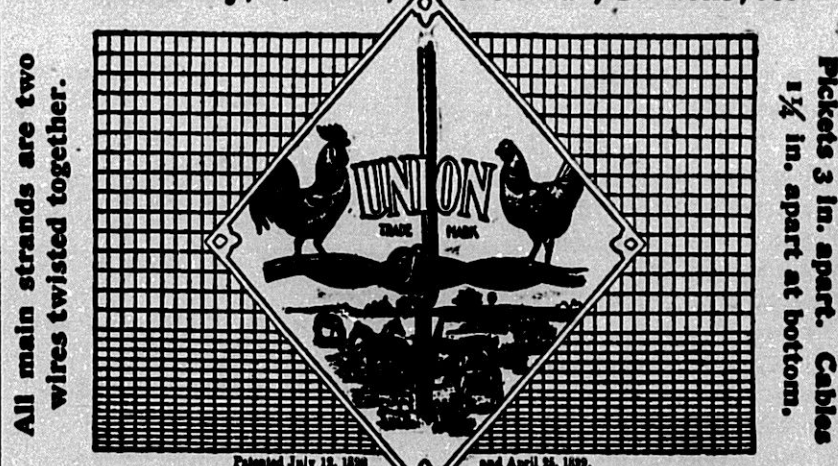
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## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

Judge of Probate—WM. N. ANGEL.  
Sheriff—FRED KAMFERBEEK.  
Clerk—JOHN HIGGINS.  
Treasurer—BYRON W. PARKS.  
Register of Deeds—  
JOHANNES DYKEMA.  
Prosecutor—JOHN C. POST.  
School Commissioner—  
LAWRENCE VANDER BEEK.  
Circuit Court Commissioners—  
C. T. PAGESON, GUY LILLIE.  
Coroners—  
P. PALMER, H. J. POPPEN.  
Surveyor—G. J. WESSELINK.

## Legislative Ticket.

First District—W. O. VAN EYCK.  
Second District—ALBERT H. BOSCH.

## COMMON COUNCIL.

Holland, Mich., Sept. 30, 1902.

The common council met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Mayor.

Present: Mayor De Roa, Aldermen Van den Tak, Kleis, Van Zanten, Geerlings, Van Putten, Kramer and Riksen and the City Clerk.

The clerk reported that no objections had been filed to the proposed graveling of Seventeenth street and of College avenue, and that the required notice of the improvements and of the special assessment districts, etc., had been given.

The improvements were ordered as advertised and according to plans and specifications.

The clerk reported the following bids for the graveling of Seventeenth street and College avenue: Seventeenth street B. Riksen 80 cents, B. Kammeraad 77 cents, Dick Plaggemars, 77 cents; College avenue, B. Riksen 88 cents, H. Oosting 87 cents, B. Kammeraad 88 cents, Henry Plaggemars 78 cents.

Bids referred to a special committee consisting of Ald'n. Kleis, Van Putten and Geerlings.

The board of assessors reported special assessment rolls for the first installment of West Tenth, Eleventh and Twelfth streets, Fourteenth street; and Twelfth streets sewer districts.

Rolls confirmed and ordered reported to the board of supervisors.

The clerk reported that no objections had been filed against the special assessment rolls for the construction and repairing of sidewalks and for the collection of delinquent water and light rentals.

Rolls confirmed and ordered reported to the supervisors.

The clerk reported that no objections had been filed in his office to the special assessment rolls of the Thirteenth street, Tenth, River and Eleventh streets sewer districts, and that notice of the filing of the same had been given.

The rolls were confirmed and the amounts assessed divided into five installments of \$333.20 and \$526.60 respectively, to be collected as follows: First installment Feb. 1, 1903, the second installment Feb. 1, 1904, the third installment Feb. 1, 1905, the fourth installment Feb. 1, 1906, and the fifth installment Feb. 1, 1907, with interest at four per cent per annum payable annually on Feb. 1 of each year, on all sums unpaid, and bonds of the city ordered issued bearing interest at the rate of four per cent per annum, payable annually on Feb. 1 of each of the years 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906 and 1907, with coupons attached for the payment of interest, said bonds to be dated Oct. 1, 1902. The board of assessors were instructed to make special assessment rolls of said sewer assessment districts for the installment falling due Feb. 1, 1903, amounting with interest and cost of assessment to \$370 and \$580 respectively.

The board of assessors reported the Seventeenth street grading assessment roll at \$2,713.78 and the College avenue roll at \$1,000.

The rolls were ordered filed in the clerk's office and numbered and Tuesday, Oct. 21, 1902, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., fixed as the time when the common council and board of assessors will hear objections to the same.

The board of assessors reported installment rolls of Thirteenth street, Tenth, River and Eleventh streets sewer assessment districts.

Rolls confirmed.

The committee on streets and crosswalks reported recommending the payment of \$522.35 balance due Bert Riksen for the grading and graveling of South Central avenue.—Adopted.

The committee on streets and crosswalks reported recommending the payment of \$28 to W. Butkau for labor on South Central avenue.—Adopted.

By Ald. Van Putten, Resolved, that Ald. P. A. Kleis be appointed acting mayor for the purpose of attending the October session of the board of supervisors.—Carried.

By Ald. Geerlings, Resolved, that

the mayor and clerk be instructed to negotiate the sale of all the special assessment bonds ordered issued.—Carried.

Arend Vlescher and 6 others petitioned for permission to place a crossing on Eighth street about midway between the Walsh crossing and College avenue at their own expense, and subject to such regulations as the council may from time to time impose.—Granted.

Adjourned.

## PUBLIC SALES.

Friday, Oct. 3, at 10 a. m., at the place of the widow Lucas, 2 miles west and 1 mile south of East Saugatuck.

Tuesday, Oct. 7, at 10 a. m., at the farm of the late P. De Kraker at Noordloos.

Tuesday, Oct. 7, at 1 p. m., at the farm of F. G. Everhart, 2 1/2 miles south-west of Graafschap.

Thursday, Oct. 9, at 10 a. m., at the farm of Gerrit Zwagerman, a mile west of the Beaverdam church.

Thursday, Oct. 9, at 9 a. m., at the farm of Henry E. Van Kampen, 2 1/2 miles northeast of Holland. Read notice of sale.

Tuesday, Oct. 14, at 10 a. m., at the place of Kias Timmerman, 1 1/2 miles east of Olive Center.

Wednesday, Oct. 15, at 10 a. m., at the place of T. Kort, north of the town house in Georgetown.

## SOUTH OTTAWA TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the South Ottawa Teachers' Association will be held in the High school room, Zealand, Saturday, Oct. 11, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

## PROGRAM.

Devotional Exercises and Entertainment, in charge of Principal J. Earl Marshall.

"Supplementary Reading in the Grades," Miss Minnie M. Hunter.

"How to Secure Good Expression," Principal Peter Huyser, Jr.

"Reading Circle Work," Commissioner Louis P. Ernst.

"Plan of Work for the Year, Principal N. R. Stanton.

Election of officers.

There will be an opportunity for general discussion after each topic. Be prepared. I would like to have teachers make a special effort to attend the meetings of the association. Much good is derived from them. Let us make this meeting at Zealand a good one.

The public is cordially invited.  
LOUIS P. ERNST,  
Commissioner of Schools.

It stands alone, it towers above. There's no other, its nature's wonder, a warning pulchre to the heart of mankind. Such is Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents. Haas Bros.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

### Allegan County.

Earl Murphy of Lee and Mary Braston of Chicago.

Roy Lyman of aPrk Falls, Wis., and Etta Garis of Casco.

Frank W. Bradfield and Cleopatra Jeffers, both of Moline.

Frank Emeterio of Kalamazoo and Julia Bitgood of Allegan.

Amos Servis of Ganges and Mrs. Mary Davis of Clyde.

Huston McKie and Mabel McDow, both of Lee.

Benjamin Sneden of Monterey and Clara Gilbert of Grand Rapids.

John Antekeler of Salem and Rosa Rodanhisler of North Dorr.

Clemens Rodenhesler of North Dorr and Eva Antekeler of Salem.

Harry C. Richards of Chicago and Clela E. French of Ganges.

Emery Covault of Valley and Bertha Bolch of Chesire.

Fred W. VanLent of Pine Grove and Rosa B. Shears of Otsego.

Dexter S. Harrington and Fredia Grable, both of Plainwell.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

### Allegan County.

Raymond W. Fenn and wife to Ellen Ethel Downer, 160 acres, section 30, Casco; \$1,500.

Stephen Murphy to Vernie Estelle Merton, 17 acres, sections 35 and 25, Lee; \$650.

Charles H. Martin to Charles W. Arnold and wife, 40 acres, section 16, Lee; \$1,500.

Thomas McVea and wife to John O'Fallon Delancy, land in Saugatuck township; \$400.

George F. Ayres and wife to Wallace B. Gilbert, 40 acres, section 1, Lee; \$300.

George Hanahs and wife to Henry F. Severens, 200 acres, section 14, Lee; \$800.

## Wall Paper and Books.

We are offering wall paper and books at remarkably low prices. It will pay you to come in and look over our large stock and make your selections early.

SLAGH & BRINK,  
Eighth street.

The latest thing out is a souvenir spoon of the Van Raalte memorial hall, to be seen at the jewelry store of Geo. H. Huizinga.

Ladies Gold Watches from \$7.50 up, fully warranted, at C. A. Stevenson's Jewelry Store.

# WORDS OF WISDOM

## Judge George H. Durand's Letter of Acceptance

An Able and Dignified Presentation of the Issues of the Campaign and His Pledges to the People

Judge Durand's address to the voters of Michigan, read before the Democratic state central committee by his brother, L. T. Durand, in Grand Rapids, Tuesday, is as follows:

Flint, Mich., August 26, 1902.  
To the Democratic state central committee, and to my fellow-citizens of Michigan:

In presenting my formal acceptance of the nomination to the office of governor of this great state—a nomination so generously tendered me by the convention of that great party, whose founders believed and intended that the people and not the spoilsmen should govern—permit me, in addition, to express the deepest regret which I feel in not being able at this particular occasion, on account of sickness from which I trust I shall speedily recover, to be present and speak personally to all who have become enlisted and are interested in the welfare of Michigan, and to express my high appreciation of honor paid me by the nomination, and of the many warm testimonials of friendship and support, irrespective of party politics, which I have received from all parts of the state.

A Personal Sacrifice for the Public Good.

I had endeavored to indicate my wish that the convention might, from the many capable and available men of the party, select another to carry the standard in the battle for better government, but the manner in which the request has come to me, both from the convention as a deliberative body and from the ranks of the people of Michigan, has seemed to make it my imperative duty, as I view it, to lay aside personal inclinations and interests and to resolutely do what I can towards the betterment of the conditions with which we are perplexed.

The State Platform Commanded.

That splendid declaration of principles adopted as the platform of the convention not only commends my hearty approval, but it likewise challenges the attention of all loyal citizens and lovers of good government to the dangers of the hour, and to the environments which menace the state in which we live, and the rights and privileges which belong to her citizens.

A Warning Which Voters Should Heed.

We live in a republic, not a monarchy. It was to forever escape the direful tendencies of monarchical rule that the fathers set upon this soil the emblem of civic and religious liberty and ordained a republic which should rest forever upon the consent of the governed freely and honestly obtained, and whose basic principle should forever be "equal political rights and privileges for all."

It was never intended that this matchless structure should become the prey of political spoilsmen, nor that the people or the parties to which they might belong should ever fall under the domination of any man or set of men, moved by selfish and sordid political ambitions. It was never intended that the privilege to be nominated for, or to hold, any office of public trust, whether of the state or nation, should be the subject of barter and sale. It was never intended that the people should, by the power of individual or combined wealth operating through political machines or otherwise, be thwarted in their right to be represented by one from their own ranks and of their own choice, whose sterling manhood and intellectual fitness were alone sufficient to insure their confidence and esteem. It was intended that a manly, honest and capable man, though poor, should weigh as much in the balance as the possessor of millions. It was never intended that labor should be humbled and wealth exalted. It was never intended that corporate power, proceeding from the people, should ever attain a mastery over them or shape and control public legislation inimical to their rights and interests, and it certainly was never intended that the sovereignty and sacredness of the citizen's ballot should fall under the dictatorship of any one man or any combinations of men governed by selfish motives and political greed.

Democracy the Hope of the People.

Against all such encroachments upon the rights and prerogatives of the people the Democratic party has ever stood firm, and to all those who are believers in the principles of that great party as taught by Jefferson, or in the principles of that other great party as taught by Lincoln, the admonition comes to beware of the conditions and lurking dangers of the hour.

Michigan, the state of my young manhood, and in whose welfare I have been interested so many years, has become one of the leading factors of our republic.

Endowed by nature with a healthful climate, fertile soil and vast resources, and withal enriched with a splendid citizenship, both deserves and demands at this time the thoughtful attention of everyone concerned with her well being.

Necessity for Primary Election Reform.

The methods by which machine politics have dominated political conventions and usurped and ignored the rights of the people respecting local legislation, are matters too well known to be disguised, and should be resented at the polls in November. The appeal that the people of Michigan have been making so long for a primary election law which shall be the means of purifying the avenues to positions of public honor and trust has not been heeded, and complaints which now come

from every quarter of the state abundantly demonstrate the wisdom of the convention in insisting that this measure shall be so engrafted in our system of state government that political jobbery shall no longer be permitted to feed the ambitions of any man or any faction conniving for public office.

I hope to live to see the day when the aspirations of an honest man shall not suffer because he refuses to wear another's political yoke. I hope to live to see the day when a true, noble manhood shall count for as much in politics as in private citizenship.

Independent Voters Must Smash the Machine.

A party machine is a baneful thing no matter in which party it works its cunning. The interests of this great state are always at stake whenever a public trust is to be committed to one of her citizens, and whenever legislation is enacted affecting her people at large, or affecting her great cities where home rule should ever prevail. Whenever a nomination or an election to a public office is made to depend upon the liberal and scandalous use of money, or is to be obtained only at the behest of some political master, it is high time that the rank and file of the citizens of Michigan assert their sovereignty and deal the iniquity the blow it deserves. And whenever a few public servants in legislature assembled shall set at naught the wishes of the citizens of our cities, who best know their local needs, and whose influence and commerce have done so much for agriculture, for the industries and the general welfare of our state, and impose upon them such legislation as will best subvert the political ends of a few, the manhood and sovereign power which the citizen possesses should prompt him to effectually correct the evil at the ballot box.

Corporations Should Not Control the State.

I am not unmindful of the fact that the vast number of railroads and other corporate enterprises of the state have contributed in large measure to open up her fertile lands and resources and to advance her industrial interests.

Capital and labor are companion factors in industrial activities, and when working together with due and honest regard for the rights and welfare of each other, success is generally attained, whether the enterprises be corporate or individual.

I am, however, equally mindful of the fact that the source of corporate franchises is the people of the state in legislature assembled, and that while the charter or the law bestowing the franchise measures the power granted and the privileges to be exercised, still too often the inclination exists to reach out and beyond the privileges which the state has so generously bestowed, and even to endeavor to control legislation, to control the taxing officers of the state and to thwart the principles of equal and just taxation. I am keenly alive to that part of the platform of the convention which very forcibly calls attention to these matters and to the enormous claim which one of these enterprises may see fit to make against the state, and should the people of Michigan honor me with the office of governor, I promise that the interests of the state and of her people, certainly in these respects, shall be safeguarded to the best of my ability.

Equal and Just Taxation Demanded.

The principle of equal and just taxation is the only principle which conscience can honestly approve. It is the principle by which the various corporate and individual interests are made to stand upon an equality in sharing the burdens of government in return for its benefits, and any scheme by which the property of one man is made to discharge the burdens which should be borne by the property of another man is robbery pure and simple, whether it be accomplished through some flexible legislative enactment, or through the wily machinations of men or corporations which a selfish greed may determine shall be used to effect the purpose.

Agriculture the Basis of All Prosperity.

Too much cannot be said for the cause of the agricultural interests of our state. Let these interests suffer or become neglected, the entire community will feel the effect. Our cities are vitalized by the increase and prosperity of agriculture. While Michigan can rightfully boast of her splendid farms, the fact remains that within her borders are vast acres of rich, vacant and undeveloped lands which should become open to settlement and good citizenship, which should become owned and tilled in the interest of that great industry upon which our welfare as a people so largely rests.

A Pledge to the People of the State.

As the office of governor of this state is the most important public trust which its people can commit to any man, so I conceive it to be the duty of the incumbent to have the welfare of the people his sole concern, and as remarked by me on another occasion, if chosen by the people of Michigan to assume the duties of that high office I shall strive hard to advance the farming and manufacturing industries of the state—yes—a good deal harder, than I will to exploit politics or politicians.

Very truly yours,  
GEORGE H. DURAND.

It is an inevitable law that a man cannot be happy unless he lives for something higher than his own happiness.



These are what you want when the boys and girls are growing up. Let them have some fun on the Reversible Union Carpet or a real wool carpet at 35 to 50 cents a yard. You can get a Brussels when they are grown up and married.

## Examine These Prices

Best All Wool Carpets	65c
All Wool (lighter weight) Carpets	42 1/2
Half Wool Carpets	35c
Good Granites	25c
Hemp Carpets	10c

We also show a full line of Rugs, Linoleums and Matting that are sure to please, both in price and patterns.

Yes, we give credit.

## JAS. A. BROUWER

212-214 River Street, Holland Michigan.

## The Holland Poultry and Pet Stock Association

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## Third Annual Show. Dec. 16-17-18-19, ...AT... Lyceum Opera House.

Get your birds in shape for the Largest show in Western Michigan.

JAMES CONKEY, Pres.

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L. S. SPRIETSMA, Sec'y.

## WE'RE NOT SO FOOLISH

as to say that there is no other clothing that is as good as ours, or that there is no other clothing that fits as well as ours.

We do say that our clothing is good clothing, and that good, well made, perfect fitting clothing can be bought here for less money than elsewhere.

The best argument we can use is "See the goods."

You can only judge by comparison. The comparison will be a good ad for us.

We want to show you our stock whether you buy or not.

NOTIER, VAN ARK & WINTER,

27 W. 8th St., Holland.

We sell shoes, too.

## National Restaurant.

3 W. EIGHTH ST. HOLLAND.

I am now in charge of the above restaurant and will be pleased to have all my old friends call on me and make new friends.

I will try to give the public good service in running a neat, clean eating place.

Lunches and meals served at all times.

JOHN THOMPSON.





Within the reach  
—OF ALL—  
And Guaranteed First-Class.  
PLATES.....\$5.00  
Gold Fillings, up from.....50  
White and Silver Fillings.....50  
Teeth Extracted without pain...25  
**DE VRIES**  
THE DENTIST.  
35 East Eighth Street.

**1-4 Straw Hats 1-4**  
OFF OFF

We are offering our large new stock of Straw Hats at

**ONE-FOURTH OFF!**

We have bought too many and must dispose of them.

**Sluyter & Cooper**

UP-TO-DATE HATTERS, FURNISHERS AND TAILORS.

21 EAST EIGHTH ST., HOLLAND.



Look for the  
**Name**

of the brand when buying flour.

It's **WALSH-DE ROO** flour it is  
**GOOD** flour. Every sack warranted.

Ask for Sunlight, Daisy or  
Hyperion.

**WALSH-DE ROO MILLING CO.**

## ISN'T IT A COMFORT

to come straight to the store  
that shows the greatest variety  
in West Michigan?

We can satisfy almost any de-  
mand that is made on us for  
either fabric, color or size—and  
you can be pretty near sure of  
getting what you want.

We handle nothing but good  
straight all-wool goods, properly  
tailored; any coat of ours that  
breaks down in front or loses  
shape can be returned to us for  
a new one.

Men's suits and overcoats,  
\$7.50 to \$30.

Youths' suits and overcoats,  
\$5 to \$20.

Boys' suits and overcoats, \$2  
to \$10.

Absolutely one price to all; we  
offer a standing reward of \$1000  
to any one that can find a case  
where we give a reduced price.

THE GIANT,

A. MAY & SON.

20, 22 and 24 Canal St.  
Corner of Lyon,  
Grand Rapids, Mich.

Beautiful French China, Fine Busts,  
bric a brac and novelties of all kinds,  
suitable for Presents, at Stevenson's  
Jewelry Store.

Fly Nets, Harness, Etc.

I carry a full line of fly nets, dusters,  
hand made single and double harness,  
whips, etc. Get my prices and examine  
my goods. J. Van Gelderen, Zoeland.

Ask for F. M. C. Coffees.

WANTED—Windfallen apples for  
Cider Vinegar. Highest cash price  
paid. Receive every day. Apply at  
H. J. Heinz Co.'s factory, Holland,  
Mich.

The excitement incident to traveling  
and change of food and water often  
brings on diarrhoea, and for this reason  
no one should leave home without a  
bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera  
and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale by  
Heber Walsh.

GIRLS WANTED—At Van Tonge-  
ren's cigar factory, 12 East Eighth  
street.

Clocks from \$1.00 up, at C. A. Steven-  
son's Jewelry Store, all warranted.

## LOCAL MARKETS.

Prices Paid to Farmers.

PRODUCE.

Butter, per lb. .... 20  
Eggs, per doz. .... 18  
Dried Apples, per lb. .... 5-6  
Potatoes, per bu. .... 40  
Beans, hand picked, per bu. .... 1-25  
Onions, per bu. .... 65  
Winter Apples—good ..... 1.00

GRAIN.

Wheat, per bu. .... 65  
Oats, per bu. .... 32  
Rye, per bu. .... 44  
Buckwheat, per bu. .... 55  
Corn, per bu. .... 63  
Barley, per 100 ..... 90  
Clover Seed, per bu. .... 4.50  
Timothy seed, per bu. (to consumers) ..... 5.50

BEEF, PORK, ETC.

Chickens, dressed, per lb. .... 10  
Chickens, live, per lb. .... 7  
Turkeys, live, per lb. .... 8  
Turkey, per lb. .... 8  
Lard, per lb. .... 11  
Beef, dressed, per lb. .... 5 1/2 to 6 1/4  
Pork, dressed, per lb. .... 8  
Sausage, dressed, per lb. .... 7-8  
Veal, per lb. .... 7-8  
Lamb ..... 8

FLOUR AND FEED.

Price to consumers.

Flour, "Sunlight," patent, per barrel ..... 9.10  
Flour, "Daisy," straight, per barrel ..... 4.40  
Ground Feed, 1 3/4 per hundred, 25 50 per ton  
Corn Meal, unbolled, 1 3/4 per hundred, 25 50 per ton  
Corn Meal, bolted 3 3/4 per barrel.  
 middling, 1 1/2 per hundred, 19 50 per ton.  
 Bran, 35 per hundred, 17 50 per ton  
 Linseed Meal, 1 1/2 per hundred.

Hides.

Prices paid by the Cappon & Bertsch Leather Co.  
No. 1 cured hide ..... 9  
" 1 green hide ..... 8  
" 1 fallow ..... 8

Wool.

Unwashed ..... 12 to 15c

Olla Family Annual Excursion

To Cleveland, O., and Buffalo, N. Y.,  
will be run over the Lake Shore &  
Michigan Southern R'y, Tuesday, Oct.  
7. Special train will leave Grand Rapids  
at 8:45 a. m., or Allegan at 9:49 a.  
m., running through without change.  
Fare to Cleveland and return, \$6.75;  
Buffalo, \$9.00. Tickets good 30 days.  
Particulars from ticket agents, or by  
writing W. S. Brown, T. P. A., Hills-  
dale, Mich., or R. W. Innes, G. P. A.,  
Grand Rapids, Mich.

C. A. Stevenson has the finest engra-  
ver in the city. Try him.

Get a free sample of Chamberlain's  
Stomach and Liver Tablets at Heber  
Walsh's drug store. They are easier to  
take and more pleasant in effect than  
pills. Then their use is not followed  
by constipation as is often the case with  
pills. Regular size, 25 cents per box.

She's a radiant, witching, wondrous  
gem, that beautiful, blushing wife of  
mine. She is an angel on earth, so you  
can be, only take Rocky Mountain Tea.  
Haan Bros.

Feed 2511 For Sale  
A good feed mill, engine and boiler  
for sale at a bargain. For particulars  
enquire at City Mills, Holland. 29-47

Base Ball Goods.

The most complete line in the city of  
Spalding's base ball goods.

S. A. MARTIN,  
North East cor. Eighth and River  
streets.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

### FELLOWS STATION.

Amos Burch, our local horse dealer,  
was in Holland last week and traded  
his last horse for machinery. He got  
a new grain drill, a wagon and some  
other small articles. Mr. Burch wants  
to buy a good horse that will trade  
well.

Mr. and Mrs. Clide Welton of Elgin,  
Ill., came across the lake last Tuesday  
night, and they were both sea-sick.  
They say if their shoes had not been  
tied on they would have lost them.

Alfred Purchase sold his horse last  
week to Lewis Wilson of Holland.  
Consideration, \$65.

Miss Etta Purchase and Miss Maria  
Fellows took a ride last Friday to Em-  
sonville and vicinity on business.

Very heavy rains last Saturday puts  
seeding back somewhat.

We have not had any killing frosts  
here yet at present writing.

Miss Desele Priest went to Holland  
Saturday to call on Mrs. Dr. Mabbe,  
and the doctor brought her back on  
Sunday.

Ed. Watson of Olive sold his farm  
last week to Thomas Kraal of Olive.  
Consideration, \$5,500. Mr. Watson has  
been with us for the last thirty years  
and has many warm friends through-  
out this section. He is an energetic farmer  
and always ready to help along in every-  
thing in the way of improvements, and  
it is hoped he will not go far from his  
present home. Your correspondent  
wishes him and his family the best of  
luck and prosperity.

Goes Like Hot Cakes.

"The fastest selling article I have in  
my store," writes druggist C. T. Smith,  
of Davis, Ky., "is Dr. King's New Dis-  
covery for Consumption, Coughs and  
Colds, because it always cures. In my  
six years of sales it has never failed. I  
have known it to save sufferers from  
Throat and Lung diseases, who could  
get no help from doctors or any other  
remedy." Mothers rely on it, best phy-  
sicians prescribe it, and Heber Walsh  
guarantees satisfaction or refund price.  
Trial bottles 10 cents; regular sizes, 50c  
and \$1.

### ZEELAND.

Too late for last week.

Masters J. and Chester H. Hietje  
had a very bad attack of croup a few  
days ago, but are improving.

Arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs.  
Nick De Bruin on Tuesday—a little  
lady boarder.

Neallie, the fifteen months old baby  
of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hietje, Jr., is very  
sick with summer complaint, but with  
the good care of Dr. D. Baert, is im-  
proving nicely.

America's Famous Ointment.

Look with horror on Skin Eruptions,  
Blotches, Sores, Pimples. They don't  
have them, nor will any one, who uses  
Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It glorifies  
the face. Eczema or Salt Rheum van-  
ish before it. It cures sore lips, chapped  
hands, chilblains. Infallible for Piles.  
25 cents, at Heber Walsh.

### OAKLAND.

John Masselink left for Detroit Mon-  
day to resume his studies in the medi-  
cal institution.

Born, to Mr. & Mrs. John Hoffman,  
last week—a girl.

The new school building in district  
No. 2, is completed. It is a magnificent  
structure, built with all the modern  
improvements in lighting, heating and  
ventilation. The total cost is about \$2-  
800. The teachers for the ensuing year  
are Benj. H. Masselink as principal and  
Grace Brady as assistant.

The favorable weather of last Friday  
attracted a large crowd at the funeral  
of our beloved pastor, the Rev. G.  
Hoeksema. The church edifice was  
packed an hour before the allotted time  
of the service. The services were con-  
ducted by Prof. H. Boer of Grand Rapids.

Out of Death's Jaws.

"When death seemed very near from  
a severe stomach and liver trouble,  
that I had suffered with for years,"  
writes P. Muse, Durham, N. C., "Dr.  
King's New Life Pills saved my life and  
gave perfect health." Best pills on  
earth and only 25c at Heber Walsh.

### MAY.

Rain, rain, the last days of Septem-  
ber. We hope October will be a little  
drier, so as to give the farmers a  
chance to sow their wheat.

K. Dykhuis has been cutting ensilage  
last week for C. H. Howell and for  
James Fairbanks.

Gerrit Oonk had a very sick horse  
last week, caused by eating wheat.

Gerrit H. Boeve and Gerrit Oonk  
and their families attended the wed-  
ding of their sister Mrs. Wm. Douma  
to Martin Tails at Holland last Wed-  
nesday.

The mumps are making its raids now  
adays, even the family of your corres-  
pondent is not an exception.

H. Boeve, Sr., was in Grand Rapids  
this week and attended the fair. He  
states that it was 40 years ago that he  
was in Grand Rapids and that the city  
changed considerably since then, and  
we believe it, too.

A boon to travelers. Dr. Fowler's Ex-  
tract of Wild Strawberry. Cures dysen-  
tery, diarrhoea, seasickness, nausea.  
Pleasant to take. Acts promptly.

### HAMILTON.

Everyone seems to be more than glad  
that the long rain is over; it has in-  
jured fodder quite badly, it is reported.

Mr. Callis and daughter of James-  
town were the guests of Mr. and Mrs.  
Casiner over Sunday.

We understand that a full fledged  
mandolin club is in the course of in-  
cubation and the south side Hamilton  
is indeed a musical town.

Grace Peterham went to Lawton  
Monday to visit friends.

W. Wilson was in Allegan on busi-  
ness Monday.

Orley Peterham, we understand, will  
have his old place back in the sugar  
factory at Holland during the season.  
John Holmes of the "Echo" is pound-  
ing away every day, and trying to  
supply our citizens with a good home  
paper. Remember that the success of  
all home papers depend on the interest,  
taken by the home people.

The band boys all have new silver-  
plated instruments now and are twelve  
in number. They have great determi-  
nation, and their leader, M. E. Cam-  
pany has great hopes for the future  
of the band.

John Kolvoord is painting his house.  
This will make a great improvement in  
this part of town.

Mrs. J. Michershuizen is visiting in  
Georgetown for a few days.

Mrs. Henry Elmer is recovering quite  
fast from her recent injury.

The pickle factory is almost done tak-  
ing in pickles for the season.

Ed. Dangermond is now plastering  
his residence.

There is a rumor of a wedding here  
in town, but don't say a word about it  
to anyone.

There was a fellow who whacked an-  
other fellow over the head with a lan-  
tern the other night; some say that  
there was whiskey in the lantern. We  
hope not.

"It was almost a miracle. Burdock  
Blood Bitters cured me of a terrible  
breaking out all over the body. I am  
very grateful." Miss Julia Filbridge,  
West Cornwall, Conn.

Tattoo Alarm Clocks, at C. A. Ste-  
venson's Jewelry Store.

Notice of Hearing of Claims.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.  
COUNTY OF OTTAWA, ss.  
Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the  
Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, made  
on the 9th day of September A. D. 1902, six  
months from that date were allowed for cred-  
itors to present their claims against the estate of  
O. J. Church, late of said County, deceased,  
and that all creditors of said deceased are re-  
quired to present their claims to said Probate  
Court, at the Probate office, in the City of Grand  
Rapids, for examination and allowance, on or  
before the 8th day of March next, and that such  
claims will be heard before said Court, on Mon-  
day, the 9th day of March next, at 10 o'clock in  
the forenoon of that day.  
Dated at the City of Grand Haven, September  
9th A. D. 1902.  
EDWARD F. KIRBY, Judge of Probate.

A Typical South African Store.

O. R. Larson, of Bay Villa, Sundays  
River, Cape Colony, conducts a store  
typical of South Africa, at which can  
be purchased anything from the pro-  
verbial "needle to an anchor." This  
store is situated in a valley nine miles  
from the nearest railway station and  
about twenty-five miles from the near-  
est town. Mr. Larson says: "I am fa-  
vored with the custom of farmers with-  
in a radius of thirty miles, to many of  
whom I have supplied Chamberlain's  
remedies. All testify to their value in  
a household where a doctor's advice is  
almost out of the question. Within one  
mile of my store the population is per-  
haps sixty. Of these, within the past  
twelve months, no less than fourteen  
have been absolutely cured by Cham-  
berlain's Cough Remedy. This must  
surely be a record." For sale by Heber  
Walsh.

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Cider Vinegar. Highest cash price  
paid. Receive every day. Apply at  
H. J. Heinz Co.'s factory, Holland,  
Mich.

Buy your Fountain Pens of C. A. Ste-  
venson.

Rubber Tires.

I can save you money on rubber tires  
for your buggy. Let me put on a set  
for you and you will be delighted how  
comfortable a ride you can have. Best  
work guaranteed. J. G. KAMPS,  
S. W. corner Central ave. and Seventh  
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Store.

Base Ball Goods.

If you are looking for base ball goods,  
call in. I have the most complete line  
of Spalding's base ball goods ever shown  
in the city.

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The celebrated Waterman Fountain  
Pens, for sale by C. A. Stevenson.

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I will change my depository into a  
store and as I need room I will sell my  
large stock of carriages, surreys and  
buggies, with or without rubber tires,  
at way down low prices. Also some  
good second-hand vehicles. If you want  
a bargain, call in and see me.

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G. A. Roberts of Lintner, Ill., suffered  
4 years with a wad in his stomach and  
could not eat. He lost 65 pounds. Two  
bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin  
restored his appetite, cured his stom-  
ach trouble and today he is well and  
hearty and says he owes his health to  
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### Tricot Flannels,

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## PUBLIC AUCTION.

On Tuesday, Oct. 7, 1902, at 10 o'clock  
a. m., a public auction will be held at  
the farm of Peter De Kraker, deceased,  
at Noordeloos, of 1 horse, 4 cows, one  
of which is fresh, the others to freshen  
soon, 2 calves, 1 bull, 70 chickens, 4  
hogs, 1 lumber wagon with bolster  
springs and box complete, 1 plow, 2  
drags, 1 cultivator, 1 mow, 1 horse  
rake, 1 grind stone, 2 seed drills, one  
for sand and clay; 2 work and 1 buggy  
harness, 1 hay rack, 12 bays, 75 feet of  
fence wire, 4 acres of corn in shocks,  
some straw and some lumber. Time  
will be given till Oct. 1, 1903, on sums  
of 3 dollars and up without interest;  
sums under 3 dollars, cash.

The farm of 38 acres, with good house  
and large barn and orchard, will also  
be sold. CHRIS D. SCHILLEMANN,  
37-38 Auctioneer.

## AUCTION SALE.

A public sale will be held on Thurs-  
day, October 9, at 9 o'clock a. m., on the  
farm of Henry E. Van Kampen, 21 miles  
northeast of Holland, on the bee-line  
road, of the following: 6 horses, from 14  
to 5 years old, one of which is a beauti-  
ful English Shire stallion, 2 years old,  
and a full-blooded trotter; 24 years old,  
25 milch cows, 8 of which are fresh, the  
rest to come in in January and Febru-  
ary; 16 head of young cattle, of which  
are 3 full-blooded steers, from 24 years  
to 10 and 5 months old; 38 pigs, of which  
30 are 6 weeks old and 5 full-blooded  
Poland Chinas of 5 months old, 3 sows  
and 2 boars; 25 chickens, 3 lumber wa-  
gons with broad tires, 1 truck, 1 one-  
horse wagon 2 top buggies, one as good  
as new; 2 bob sleighs, 1 McCormick  
self-binder, 1 Keystone hay loader, 1 new  
drill, 1 side delivery horse rake, 1 one-  
horse hay rake, 3 plows, 1 gangplow,  
1 riding cultivator, 5 one-horse cultivators,  
1 broadcast drag, 1 spring drag, 1  
cutter, 2 landroilers, 1 sprayer, 1  
set of workharness, 1 set of buggyhar-  
ness and 2 set of single harness, about  
15 tons of hay, a large quantity of straw,  
25 acres of corn in the shock, 50 bushels  
of a new kind of seed oats, furniture,  
1 Champion milk cooler, 1 good feed mill,  
dairy utensils, creamery cans and other  
articles.

Conditions: 11 months credit will be  
given on good secured notes, with 4 per  
cent discount on all sums above \$3.  
Sums of \$3 and below, cash.

H. LUGERS,  
CHRIS SCHILLEMANN,  
Auctioneers.

## AUCTION SALE.

On Tuesday, Oct. 14, 1902, at 10 o'clock  
a. m., there will be held a public sale at  
the place of Klaas Timmerman, one and  
one half miles east of Olive Center, of  
2 good work horses, 6 cows, some of  
which will freshen soon: 1 heifer, 3  
spring calves, 2 pigs, 60 chickens, 1  
lumber wagon, 1 buggy, 2 pair of bobs,  
1 horse rake, 1 plow, 1 drag, cultiva-  
tor, 1 corn sheller, 1 hay and seed rack,  
a large quantity of hay and straw, 4  
acres of corn in shocks, creamery cans,  
some lumber, 1 cook and 1 heating  
stove, 1 bedstead, 2 springs, chairs and  
tables, 1 sewing machine, pots and pans  
and everything that belongs in com-  
plete kitchen.

Time will be given till Oct. 1, 1903,  
without interest for \$3 and up, below  
\$3, cash; 5 per cent discount for all  
sums paid above \$3.

C. D. SCHILLEMANN,  
Auctioneer.

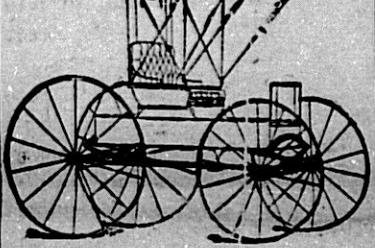
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cels at the store, have your hair dressed  
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Royal India Hair Restorer, restores youth-  
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Henderson Grimmett, of this place, was stricken with partial paralysis and completely lost the use of one arm and side. After being treated by an eminent physician for quite a while without relief, my wife recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and after using two bottles of it he is almost entirely cured. Geo. R. McDonald, Man, Logan county, W. Va. Several other very remarkable cures of partial paralysis have been effected by the use of this liniment. It is most widely known, however, as a cure for rheumatism, sprains and bruises. Sold by Heber Walsh.

A large variety of Diamond Pins, Studs, Rings and Brooches, at C. A. Stevenson's Jewelry Store.

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The largest assortment of Watches from \$1.00 up, at C. A. Stevenson's Jewelry Store.

## FARM FOR SALE.

A good 70-acre farm, house and barn, orchard, good water, a mile and a half from the Christian Reformed church, from the Dutch Reformed church and from the school. Located a mile east of the Harlem railroad station. Will also sell 50 acres of it. For particulars enquire of JOHN SLASH, SR., 42 East Twelfth street, Holland. 3-43

## WOMEN AND JEWELS.

Jewels, candy, flowers, man—that is the order of a woman's preferences. Jewels form a magnet of mighty power to the average woman. Even that greatest of all jewels, health, is often ruined in the strenuous efforts to make or save the money to purchase them. If a woman will risk her health to get a coveted gem, then let her fortify herself against the insidious consequences of coughs, colds and bronchial affections by the regular use of Dr. Boschee's German Syrup. It will promptly arrest consumption in its early stages and heal the affected lungs and bronchial tubes and drive the dread disease from the system. It is not a cure-all, but it is a certain cure for coughs, colds and all bronchial troubles. You can get Dr. G. G. Green's reliable remedies at Heber Walsh's drug store, Holland, Mich. Get Green's Special Almanac.

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JUNE 22, 1902.

Trains leave Holland as follows:

For Chicago and West—

3:40 a.m., 12:40 a.m., 8:05 a.m., 12:42 p.m., 5:35 p.m.

For Grand Rapids and North—

5:25 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 4:22 p.m., 9:55 p.m., 11:50 p.m.

For Saginaw and Detroit—

5:25 a.m., 4:22 p.m.

For Muskegon—

5:55 a.m., 12:50 p.m., 4:25 p.m., 10:00 p.m.

For Allegan—10:10 a.m., 7:25 p.m.

Freight leaves from East Y at 9:05 a.m.

For Ottawa Beach—12:45 p.m., 7:25 p.m.

\*Daily. H. F. MOELLER, Gen. Pass. Agt.

F. TOWNSEND, Agent, Holland.

## Grand Rapids, Holland & Lake Michigan

RAPID RAILWAY.

Cars leave waiting-room at Holland for Grand Rapids and intermediate points, as follows:

5:15 7:37 9:37 12:37 4:37 8:37

6:37 8:37 10:37 1:37 5:37 9:37

11:37 2:37 6:37 10:37

3:37 7:37

Cars leave Grand Rapids from Lyon Street:

6:00 8:00 10:00 1:00 5:00 9:00

7:00 9:00 11:00 2:00 6:00 10:00

12:00 3:00 7:00 11:00

4:00 8:00

Live Holland for Macatawa Park and Saugatuck

6:30 8:20 10:20 12:20 4:20 8:20

7:20 9:20 11:20 1:20 5:20 9:20

2:20 6:20 10:20

\*To Park only. 3:20 7:20

Leave Saugatuck for Holland, as follows:

6:00 8:00 10:00 12:00 4:00 8:00

7:00 9:00 11:00 1:00 5:00 9:00

2:00 6:00 10:00

3:00 7:00 11:00

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F. & A. M.

Regular Communications of Unity Lodge, No. 191, F. & A. M., Holland, Mich., will be held at Masonic Hall, on the evenings of Wednesday, Jan. 22, Feb. 19, Mar. 19, April 16, May 21, June 18, July 16, Aug. 13, Sept. 17, Oct. 15, Nov. 12, Dec. 10; also on St. John's Days—June 24 and Dec. 27.

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Try F. M. C. Coffees.



The brisk demand for pedigreed animals of all classes is not a mere passing craze. A history of the development of our great middle west would be far from complete did it not embody the accomplishment of breeders of improved farm animals. There have been times in the past when undue emphasis was placed upon pedigree, where individual merit was overshadowed by lineage considerations. During such times beginners encountered much risk in their early purchases, as there was bound to be a strong reaction when the business stood upon a foundation so false. However, our fathers passed through the deep waters, leaving to us an inheritance invaluable. It seems almost as though their errors were necessary to place the improved stock business on the firm footing upon which it stands today.

One is apt to get the impression, during the sale season particularly, that the country is flooded with improved stock. Such is not the case. There should be a thousand bidders for every blooded animal sold. The best interests of our country are allied with those of individuals, and we can conceive of no greater display of loyalty to oneself as well as to country than may be manifested in an effort to improve farm animals. When one stops to consider the enormous number of inferior animals and in conjunction with this the great improvement that may be imparted by even one cross of a blooded sire, it is surprising that there is not an even greater demand for recorded sires.

The test argument that can be given in favor of transplanting the scrub or even the grade by the blooded animal is that there stands no record of one who has established himself in the breeding of animals of the latter class and afterward gone back to the scrub or grade. Even for common cows a few hundred dollars put into a male of good blood and form is the best investment a man can make. The improvement in one crop of calves will more than pay the bill. We should like to see more competition in sale rings coming from the small farmer, even though he be the owner of a comparatively small herd of cows. There never was a more opportune time to begin the improvement by the employment of a meritorious registered sire.—Home-Steak.

### For Scours in Calves.

To cure scours in calves put about two quarts of boiling water on so much tansy as will make a strong tea, says E. K. Levan in National Stockman. Cover and let stand till cool, when it is ready for use. Give one-third of a pint at a dose—if a bad case more—morning, noon and night, but always before letting calf drink. Keep on till you see the calf is all right. With us tansy grows without any attention on most every farm. The Pennsylvania Germans call it cow bitters. Please let some one give it a trial just to see what it will do. I have used it on a good many calves, always with success.

### Plants For Silage.

To those who ask about the adaptability of the cowpea to the making of silage we would say that the best use of the pea is in hay. Indian corn is the great ensilage plant. Cowpeas will make silage that the cows will eat readily, but it is always sour stuff. Soy beans make better silage than they do hay, but the cowpeas make such good hay that it seems to be a pity to put them in the silo. Then, too, having corn silage alone, the farmer can balance his ration better with the peas than if they were mixed in the silo. We do not recommend cowpea silage.—Practical Farmer.

### The Pan-American Test.

Guernseys won in butter production at the six months' test at the Pan-American exposition in spite of the fact that one of the best cows was sick several days during the test. The value of the butter churned of each breed during the six months of the test was as follows: Guernsey, \$220; Jersey, \$215; Ayrshire, \$213; Holstein, \$193; Red Polled, \$192; Brown Swiss, \$177; French Canadian, \$182; Shorthorn, \$165; Polled Jersey, \$161; Dutch Belted, \$112.—Exchange.

### A Famous Milker.

In a British journal is announced the death of a famous milker. It was a crossbred Shorthorn-Guernsey. She was in her ninth year when she died. Some idea of her value may be known from the fact that in the 10½ months prior to her death she had produced at the rate of 1,500 gallons of milk per year. On the day before her death she gave sixty-six pounds of milk.

### The Heifer That Kicks.

To cure a kicking heifer tie a rope around one hind leg down near the foot and then take a slip hitch around the horns, says an experienced dairyman. Now make her kick to her heart's content. Then shift over to the other side. One dose was enough for the one I had. For a colt I would put on a surcingle with a ring on the side to slip the rope through. Hitch first around the neck and then a noose around the nose.

### Growth in Dairy Business.

The first cow census in the United States occurred in 1840. Since then they have been counted every ten years. There are now thought to be about 18,000,000 dairy cattle in this country, which allows one cow for about every four persons.

### The Dairy Type.

Length of body and depth of barrel are gauges of lungs and digestive capacity. Sloping shoulders, thin thighs and angularity rather than roundness of body are prized as outward signs of the dairy as distinguished from the beef type.

## CERTAIN RESULTS.

Nothing Can Be Surer, Is the Testimony of Holland Citizens.

The stage of uncertainty is over in Holland. There can now be had plenty of positive proof in the testimony of citizens. Evidence of this nature should convince the most skeptical doubter in this vicinity. Read the following:

Mrs. B. Volmari, of No. 85 West Thirteenth street, says: "My kidneys bothered me for years until the dull aching pains through my loins became almost constant. I easily tired and became stiff from sitting or lying in one position for any length of time and I arose in the morning feeling thoroughly unrested and devoid of energy. Often I could hardly stand up straight and I walked about in a stooped position. There was also a stiffness and numbness in my limbs. I had seen Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended and I got a box at J. O. Doesburg's drug store and commenced their use. The result was most gratifying, and in spite of my advanced age, I soon began to feel better. Aside from the natural stiffness of the joints in a person of my age, I feel splendid."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, Doan's and take no substitute. For Sale at J. O. Doesburg's Drug Store.

### FARM FOR SALE.

I offer my farm of 120 acres, good house and 3 barns and sheds, power mill pumping mill, young apple orchard and some cherries. Eighty acres is good land and forty is lighter. Will sell either 40 or 120. The Citizens' telephone exchange is at my house and I would like party who buys to also take charge of this. Some money in it.

Price reasonable and terms part cash and balance on time. For particulars enquire of EUGENE FELLOWS, Ottawa Station. 11-4

### FARM FOR SALE.

A finely located farm of 35 acres, west of Holland, near Macatawa Bay. Good house and old barn. Good water, nice apple orchard and other fruits. Will sell all or in two parcels. For particulars call at this office.

When you wake up with a bad taste in your mouth, go at once to H. Walsh's drug store and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. One or two doses will make you well. They also cure biliousness, sick headache and constipation.

### Farm For Sale.

An 18 acre fruit farm located half a mile south of the Holland depot. 4000 sale. Contains 100 cherry trees, 100 plum trees, 100 peach trees, 3 acres raspberries, half an acre currants, strawberry patch, 100 apple and pear trees. For particulars enquire at this office.

### Studebaker Wagons.

I have a nice line of the well known Studebaker wagons. None better. Also carriages, surreys and buggies. J. Van Gelderen, Zeeland.

### House and Lot for Sale.

A good house and lot on East Fourteenth street for sale. Enquire of B. S. E. Takken, Blacksmith, corner Central ave. and Ninth street.

### Work Horse For Sale.

A good work horse for sale at \$75. A bargain for anyone who needs a work horse. For particulars call on or address Herman Wolters, Fillmore township, P. O. Holland.

### FERTILIZER.

Farmers should now get their fertilizer. I have the Northwestern and also Swift's, for corn and other crops, and also a special fertilizer for sugar beets. It can be purchased of me or from Bert Tinkholt at Graafschap.

B. J. ALBERS, Overisel, Mich.

### Upholstering.

I do upholstering and can give you good work at reasonable prices. Call or drop a card and I will look after the work. C. M. HANSON, 373 W. 16th street, Holland.

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## MOLTING OF FOWLS.

Information About This Somewhat Mysterious Process.

In respect to time, molting may be characterized as early or late. The younger fowls, as a rule, begin and complete the molt early. With them the season runs from July to September. The older fowls begin molting later and often do not complete the process until cold weather has set in. With them the molting season extends from August or September to November or December. Age, therefore, is usually reckoned as an element in molting, and the principle is laid down that the older the fowl is the later will it be in undergoing the process of molting. While this statement of the principle embodies an observed set of facts, yet it does not state, it seems to me, the real cause of the difference in time of molting fowls. The real cause I believe to be a difference in vigor. As a fowl grows older it loses in vigor, just as a man of years loses his power of recuperation after effort; so a fowl loses its power of early molting, and each year sees the process deferred to a later period. Anything which will tend to keep up the vigor of the fowl will also tend to secure for it an early molt.

Molting, again, may be characterized as gradual or sudden. Some fowls will begin to drop a few feathers and at once replace them and will keep up this process until the whole plumage has been renewed. They are at all times completely clothed, although the clothing during the process is an intermixture of new and old feathers of bright and faded colors, producing a patchy and irregular effect upon the eye of the beholder. Other fowls will drop nearly the whole of their plumage in a few days and for weeks will "scud under bare poles," look poor, forlorn and deserted until the new plumage has had time to grow and cover their nakedness. The first form of molting seems to be better for the fowls, rendering them less liable to take cold, especially if the molt takes place in the fall, while the second form has the advantage of having all of the plumage of the same age and therefore of uniform brightness and freshness. For exhibition purposes the second is the better form of molt. Why some fowls should molt gradually and others suddenly is not known. It is due to some peculiarity of the constitution, but what the peculiarity is and how it is caused are mysteries.

The old writers used to think molting a sort of disease, and "molting fever" became a common term. We have outgrown that, as we have many other things, but that view of the case indicated good care should be given to the molting fowl. That fact can never be outgrown. Molting fowls should always have the best of care, not because they are sick, but because the growth of a new covering makes extraordinary demands upon their systems, and they should be aided to meet these demands, and because of the scantiness of their clothing they should be protected from cold winds and rains by comfortable shelter. At this time they are liable to contract colds and other diseases, and such things should be guarded against, and because of the strain upon their system in growing new plumage they should be liberally fed upon food adapted to promote feather growth. Feathers are largely composed of nitrogen, with a trace of sulphur, and their composition indicates what should be the character of the food at this period. In a state of nature the molt takes place when birds can obtain a liberal supply of insect life. Bugs and worms are then abundant, and they furnish the nitrogenous elements necessary for feather growing. In a state of domestication the fowls are dependent upon man for their food supply, and he ought to furnish the best available substitutes for insect life. These are to be found in articles of food rich in nitrogen. Wheat bran, beef scraps, lean beef, ground bones, oats and wheat, clover and some other foods are rich in nitrogen, while corn is deficient in this element, yet as heat and force are convertible terms, and force is needed at this period, corn should also be furnished to some extent.

For feeding molting fowls the following formula will be found useful: For the morning meal give two parts by bulk of finely ground wheat bran, one part of cornmeal, one part of beef scraps or ground green bone, and to each quart of the mixture one heaping teaspoonful of sulphur; mix thoroughly with boiling water and allow the mixture to stand until it is cooled down to a warmth that enables it to be handled without burning. Foods should be fed warm, but should never be fed hot. For the evening meal give equal parts of wheat and oats. At midday feed all the green clover the fowls will eat. To the drinking water add a small quantity of sulphate of iron, just enough to slightly discolor the water and give it a brackish taste.—H. S. Babcock in American Poultry Journal.

### Keep Only Good Ones.

Standard bred poultry—that is, the birds bred to a fixed standard—will yield better results to the farmer or marketman than will a mixed flock of nondescripts, for the reason that standard breeds have been carefully selected and mated for generations, and vigor and health have been as much the aim of the fancier as have plumage and general standard requirements.

### Keep Turkeys Growing.

The best prices are realized for Thanksgiving turkeys, but the majority of the birds are not heavy enough to market at that time. Don't let them get wet. Feed them regularly three times a day and when they roam the fields give a full feed in the morning and another at night. Oats and wheat are better than corn during the growing period.

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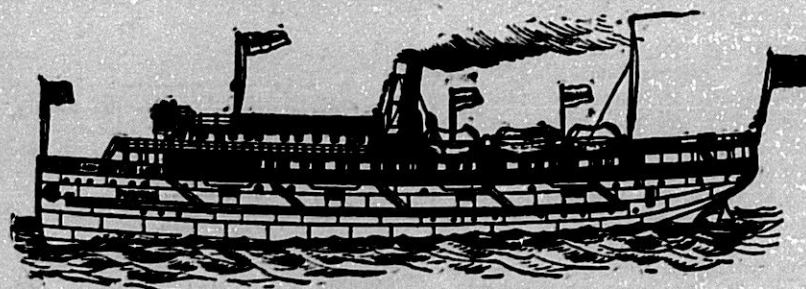
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## EMILE ZOLA IS DEAD

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Heating Stove in His Home  
in Paris.

### DOCTORS RESUSCITATE HIS WIFE

Celebrated Novelist Had Retired in  
Good Health—Rumors of Su-  
icide and the Cause.

Paris, Sept. 30.—Emile Zola, the novelist, who was born in Paris, April 2, 1840, was found dead in his house from asphyxiation. His wife is gravely ill. Zola was asphyxiated by



EMILE ZOLA.

fumes from a stove, the pipes of which are said to have been out of order.

At the same time it is stated that there are indications of suicide. It is hoped that Mme. Zola will survive.

### Retired at 10 O'clock.

Zola returned to his Paris home from his country house at Medan, and owing to a sudden spell of cold weather here, he ordered the heating stove in his bedroom to be lighted. The stove burned badly, but Zola and his wife retired at 10 o'clock at night, and the servants, not hearing any movement in the apartment in the morning, entered the bedroom at 9:30 and found Madame Zola lying on the bed, inanimate. Zola was lying half out of bed, with his head and shoulders on the floor and his legs on the bed. Doctors were summoned but they failed to restore Zola to life. After prolonged efforts they resuscitated Madame Zola.

The rumor circulated regarding Zola's supposed suicide from poison was based on the fact that ejectrons from his stomach were found on the floor, but the doctors say they came from Zola's dog, which was also in the bedroom and which did not suffer asphyxiation.

### Nothing Unusual Heard.

Zola dined with a good appetite in the evening and the servants of the household ate of the same dishes. Nothing unusual was heard in the bedroom during the night.

Five workmen arrived at the Zola residence at 4:30 in the morning in order to make some repairs in Zola's bedroom, but the servants had already become alarmed at hearing no sound from the room, decided to enter it, and burst open the door. A slight odor of carbolic gas was at once noticed and the bodies of the novelist and his wife were found in the positions already described. Zola had evidently been awakened by a choking sensation, tried to rise, but was overcome by the fumes, which apparently escaped from the defective stove. The windows were immediately opened, doctors and commissary of police were summoned, and the utmost efforts were made to revive the novelist and his wife, but the former had already succumbed.

### JUST SHORT OF MILLION

Total Pensioners on the Rolls Is \$99,446—  
Other Pension Facts of  
General Interest.

Washington, Sept. 29.—The annual report of Commissioner of Pensions Ware shows that the number of names on the pension rolls, July 1, 1902, with a net gain of 5,732 pensioners since 1898, was 999,446, against 997,735 last year. The total comprises 738,809 soldiers and 260,637 widows and dependents. The number of death notices of old soldiers, not now in the service, received by the bureau during the year was 50,128, of whom 27,043 were pensioners.

The total amount paid for pensions during the fiscal year was \$137,504,268 and the yearly cost of operating and maintaining the bureau and the agencies, outside of the payment of pensions proper, aggregates \$3,590,520. The pension system, says the report, since the beginning of the government has cost \$2,992,509,019, exclusive of the establishment of the holders' homes.

### Supreme Court Justice Dead.

Topeka, Kan., Sept. 27.—Justice A. H. Ellis, of the Kansas supreme court, died here very suddenly. He had been in bad health for several months. Justice Ellis served in a Michigan regiment during the civil war. In 1878 he came to Kansas. He was appointed to the supreme court by Governor Stanley two years ago, and was nominated by the Republican state convention for a four-year term.

### New Lord Mayor of London.

London, Sept. 30.—Sir Marcus Samuel has been elected lord mayor of London for the ensuing year, succeeding Sir Joseph C. Dimsdale.

## ALGER ALREADY A SENATOR

Gov. Bliss Appointed Him Saturday Night  
and He Will Accept the  
Vacant Seat.

Saginaw, Mich., Sept. 29.—Governor Bliss last night tendered the United States senatorship, made vacant by the death of Hon. James McMillan, to General Russell A. Alger, of Detroit. The tender was made by telegraph.

Detroit, Sept. 29.—At 1 a. m. yesterday General Alger said Governor Bliss had notified him by telephone from Saginaw at midnight of the appointment. The general had not received the governor's dispatch, as the telegraph companies had orders not to disturb him at night. "I will probably accept the appointment," was all General Alger could be induced to say.

Detroit, Sept. 30.—General R. A. Alger, former secretary of war, has formally accepted Governor Bliss' tender of the ad interim appointment as United States senator. He sent the following telegram to Governor Bliss:

"Governor A. T. Bliss, Saginaw, Mich.: I duly received your telegram of the 27th inst. tendering me the appointment of United States senator to succeed the late Senator McMillan. With a deep sense of the responsibility and the honor I accept the appointment with many thanks.

"R. A. ALGER."

## LETS THIRTY MILLIONS OUT

Secretary Shaw Has Something of Im-  
portance to Say to the Country's  
National Banks.

New York, Sept. 30.—Secretary of the Treasury Shaw, who was in New York last night, has issued a statement in which he says that the banks will hereafter not be required to carry a reserve against government deposits secured by government bonds. This will make available today over \$30,000,000.

The purpose is to relieve the New York money market, where call loans brought 35 per cent. interest yesterday. J. P. Morgan & Co. paid out \$12,000,000 yesterday in interest of properties of which his firm is agent, which was a day ahead of date for the same purpose as Shaw's action.

### Another Base Ball Season Ends.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—The American Base Ball League season ended yesterday. Following is the club stand-  
ing:

	Played.	W.	L.	P. C.
Philadelphia	136	83	53	.610
St. Louis	136	78	58	.573
Boston	138	76	60	.559
Chicago	134	74	60	.552
Cleveland	136	69	67	.507
Washington	133	61	75	.448
Detroit	135	52	83	.385
Baltimore	137	59	87	.365

League game yesterday at New York resulted: Brooklyn 5, New York 2.

### Rejected Husband Kills Himself.

Cleveland, Sept. 29.—Standing beneath his wife's window, Charles F. Schrader shot himself to death late at night. His corpse was found in the morning. Schrader, who was formerly part owner of the Excelsior Varnish works in this city, quarreled with his wife last spring and went to Chicago, where he lived until a few days ago, when he returned and sought to make up with his wife, who had already brought suit for divorce. She refused, and Schrader killed himself.

### Sicily Again Storm Swept.

Syracuse, Sicily, Sept. 30.—A fresh storm burst over the district of Santa Maria and many houses were destroyed. The stormy weather continues generally throughout Sicily. It is now believed that 200 persons perished at Modica during the tornado. The village of Sortino has been practically destroyed and forty-three persons were drowned. There have been some disgraceful scenes of pillage from the ruins and from bodies.

### Negro Burned at the Stake.

Corinth, Miss., Sept. 29.—Writhing in the flames of burning fagots, piled high by hundreds of citizens, Tom Clark, alias Will Gibson, a young negro, was burned at the stake here at a late hour yesterday, after having confessed to one of the most atrocious crimes in the history of North Mississippi, the assault and murder of Mrs. Carey Whitfield on Aug. 19 last.

### Panama Safe from Rebels.

Colon, Sept. 26.—Companies A, C, and D of the United States marine corps are encamped at Panama and Company H at Colon. The vigorous action taken by the United States seems to have had a deterrent effect on the rebel forces, who are reported to have retired in the direction of Chorrera in face of their declared intention to attack Panama within ten days.

### Kills Infant with Acid.

Dubuque, Ia., Sept. 29.—Della Liddy, aged 20 years, unmarried and residing near Elkador, Ia., poured carbolic acid down the throat of her 3 weeks old baby, placed the dead body in a satchel and was arrested on a train as she was about to leave the city. She confessed the crime.

### Aeronaut Drops to Death.

Taunton, Mass., Sept. 26.—In full sight of a crowd variously estimated at from 18,000 to 20,000 people, Louis Girard, one of the aeronauts with the Stafford troupe, fell 150 feet with a collapsed hot air balloon at the Bristol county fair and died an hour afterwards from his injuries.

### Locomotive Firemen Adjourn.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 26.—The eighth biennial convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen has concluded its sessions and adjourned to meet at Buffalo two years hence.

## MILK AND CREAM.

"Standardizing" is a Means of Jus-  
tice to Producer and Consumer.

Selling milk by measure alone is unjust to the producer as well as the consumer. While the fallacy of this system is apparent to a few, the majority of people seem to think that "milk is milk" and that one quart is worth as much as another as long as it is sweet, according to W. J. Fraser of the Illinois station. And Professor Fraser further says as to this matter:

City or state standards, where they exist, make the sale of milk coming direct from some individual cows that give milk low in fat unlawful, while it is in reality good, wholesome milk and a perfectly legitimate product when sold at its proper price. But what is even worse, this system prevents the man who produces rich milk from getting the price he should, according to its food value and cost of production. Milk containing a high per cent of fat is not only worth more for food, but it costs more to produce than milk containing a low per cent of fat, and the price should be governed by its composition and food value and not by its bulk.

Before there was a ready means of determining the composition of milk these difficulties could not well be overcome, and providing city standards was about all that could be done. But since the invention of the Babcock test by Dr. Babcock of the Wisconsin station, by this test and lactometer and at slight expense and trouble it is now a simple matter to determine accurately the amount of fat and solids not fat in any milk.

### How to Standardize.

Since fat in milk is the most variable constituent, the other solids remaining fairly constant, standardizing-milk is a comparatively simple matter. All that is necessary is to add or remove a certain amount of butter fat, which is easily done by means of the centrifugal separator or by letting the cream rise by gravity. While it is true that milk from individual cows varies somewhat from day to day, the mixed milk of a herd that is milked at regular times each day will be practically constant for that herd, because all of the cows will not test high or low on the same day. By testing the milk of a herd occasionally the per cent of fat in the milk may be known at all times with reasonable accuracy, together with the amount of skim milk that should be added or removed to bring it to the proper standard. If the separator does good work and the amount of milk handled is small so that it does not warrant testing every day, it may be run very close to the desired per cent of fat by testing once a week, so as to be sure that it is up to the required standard. Where the quantity of milk handled is large it is more economical to run tests frequently and keep the fat at exactly the desired per cent. Even if the per cent of fat varies but slightly it makes a great difference in profit in the course of the year in a large business.

The only apparatus necessary to standardize milk is a cream separator and a milk test. For dairymen handling but a small amount of milk the same results may be accomplished by setting the milk for a time and skimming off the cream. In this case all that is necessary is a Babcock test. In this work skim milk containing no fat must be added or removed. If the skim milk used contains fat, proper allowance must be made according to the amount of fat contained or the results will obviously be different. Water cannot be used to dilute the milk or the per cent of solids not fat will be reduced.

### The Dairymen's Interest.

A law compelling a man to standardize the milk and cream he sells would result in justice to both producer and consumer. All dairymen would then receive the legitimate price for their product according to its food value and cost of production and would not be selling 6 per cent milk in competition with 3 per cent milk and for the same price per quart.

### Dates of Harvesting Sugar Beets.

The Michigan station between Sept. 11 and Nov. 16 last season, the latter date being practically the end of the harvest, sampled sugar beets from plantings of various dates, and some interesting relations were traced between the dates of heaviest rainfall and the rise and fall in percentage of sugar. The low line of figures recorded for the period between Oct. 14 to Oct. 25 was probably caused by heavy rains and cloudy weather. The low percentage of the earlier planted beets is coupled with least blight. The first week in November shows the highest percentage of sugar in the beets. Departure from this date either way shows a gradual decrease, though weather conditions modify somewhat this general statement. Armsby and Hesse, in Pennsylvania, found that 139 samples harvested before Nov. 1 yielded 11.48 per cent sugar, while 82 samples harvested after Nov. 1 averaged 13.18 per cent sugar.

### One Thing and Another.

The question of profit in growing wheat hinges more on the condition of the soil when the wheat is sown than on any other one thing within our control, remarks Dowe's Field and Farm. Michigan promises a large and fine cabbage crop.

Blight has done more or less damage to the potato crop in some sections. On the Nebraska state farm it was found that level culture of sweet potatoes gave the larger crop on dry land and ridge culture on moist or bot-

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### LOCALISMS.

Dr. McDonald, the specialist, will be at Hotel Holland, Friday, Oct. 10.

Read the ad of Devries, the dentist. He may save you money.

The Choral Union of the college has reorganized under direction of Prof. J. B. Nykerk and active work will begin next Wednesday.

A joint reception to new students will be given next week by the members of the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. of the college.

Arthur Bell was arrested Tuesday on complaint of Ole Hanson, charged with violating the bicycle ordinance by riding on the sidewalk along Twelfth street.

The annual meeting of the Farmers' Mutual Insurance Co. of Ottawa and Allegan counties will be held at Ossewaarde's hall at Zeeland on Wednesday, Oct. 8.

George Seagrove, one of Spring Lake's oldest and most respected residents, died early Tuesday morning. He had been failing for upward of a year and was about 73 years of age.

Miss Elizabeth De Pree has been offered the appointment of hospital nurse under the jurisdiction of the Reformed church mission in Arabia. She has accepted and expects to leave for her new field of labor soon.

John Balgooyen, for many years a resident of Grand Haven, and one of the valued employees of S. Kilbourn & Co., is shortly to embark in the grocery business at Holland. Friends of the family will be sorry to hear of their removal.—G. H. Tribune.

A. H. Brinkman and Luther Robinson were arrested by Marshal Kamferbeek Tuesday for running their cars at a higher rate of speed than allowed on Thirteenth street. The rate of speed allowed on that street is 14 miles an hour and the marshal, by the aid of a stop-watch, secured evidence last Saturday showing that the cars were run at the rate of more than 17 miles an hour along that street. Brinkman was arraigned in Justice Van Duren's court and paid a fine of \$7 and costs. The arrests were made after the motormen had been repeatedly warned to slacken the speed of their cars.

Rev. A. Keizer of Graafschap has been called to the Ninth street Christian Reformed church.

B. J. Albers of Overisel, the leading stockbuyer in this vicinity, shipped several carloads of cattle and hogs to Chicago the past few days.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Jennie Borgman and Gerhard Leappe, on Wednesday evening, October 8.

List of advertised letters at the Holland postoffice for the week ending October 2: Miss Carrie E. Anderson, John Barhyte, Mrs. J. F. Read, Fred Taylor Wiggins.

The board of supervisors of the county at their October session will appoint a successor to County School Examiner Leonard Reus, whose term of office expires at the end of the year.

Gen. Russell A. Alger of Detroit has accepted the appointment to the United States senatorship, made vacant by the death of the late United States Senator James McMillan.

A new cement crossing will be laid over Eighth street at the adjacent merchant's expense in front of Du Mez Bros. store. More crossings ought to be provided for the business blocks.

Rev. John Schaap of Orange City, Iowa, conducted services in the Ninth Street Christian Reformed church Sunday evening.

Among those who will take in the G. A. R. excursion to Washington tomorrow will be B. Van Raalte, George Edgler, Louis De Kraker, Tiemen Slagh, C. Blom and Dr. Bos of Fillmore.

The new pastor of the M. E. church, Rev. Arthur Trott, commenced his work last Sunday, preaching to large audiences both morning and evening. Rev. Trott is a forceful speaker and can hold his audience interested throughout the discourse.

Marriage licenses have been issued to John H. Moscrop, 33, of Rochester, N. Y., and Henrietta F. Erskin, 33, Holland; Jacob Kraal, 25, and Martha Van Dyke, 23, both of Holland; Martin Tanis, 35, and Gertrude Douma, 34, both of this city.

Prof. W. D. Zoethout, Ph. D., who graduated from Hope College in '93, has received the appointment as assistant Professor in Physiology at the University of Chicago. He is also professor of Physiology in the Harvey Medical College.

The Sunday school teachers of the Fourteenth street Christian Reformed church have elected the following officers: Superintendent, I. Marsilje; assistant superintendent, M. Notter; treasurers, J. Van Vyven and Miss Margaret Mulder; secretary, Mary Deur; organists, Miss Maude Marsilje and Miss Margaret Mulder.

The teachers of the First Reformed church Sunday school held their quarterly meeting last Friday evening at the home of Mr. H. Pelgrim on West Twelfth street. A fine program was listened to and refreshments were served. William Hawthorne Cooper entertained the teachers with a couple of his always delightful recitations.

You may not be able to get coal, but John Vandersluis has plenty of goods to keep you warm, and at reasonable prices, too, so don't worry that you will freeze this winter. By all means visit his blanket department and cloak department, all on the ground floor. See the fine jacket Mr. Vandersluis sells for \$5.00.

The October meeting of the Missionary Society of the M. E. church, will be held in the church, Tuesday, Oct. 7, at 2:30 p. m. All holding mite boxes are requested to bring them in to be opened at this meeting, and all members are urged to be present, as the committees for the year will be appointed. Visitors also will be cordially welcomed.

Capt. Alfred Carter of St. Joseph, says he will fight the sale of the schooner Mary Ludwig for satisfying a claim held by Captain Harry Raffenaud, its former owner, who holds a chattel mortgage for \$400. Capt. Carter has engaged attorneys Gore and Harvey of St. Joseph to look after his interests.

Mrs. W. Van Appeldoorn, one of the pioneers of this vicinity, died at eight o'clock Tuesday morning at her residence on South Land street. She was 82 years of age and died of apoplexy. She is survived by three children, Mrs. Gerrit Van der Vliet and John Van Appeldoorn of this city and Mrs. Henry Kleis of Fillmore township. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, Rev. H. Van Hoogen officiating.

The continual rains of last week interfered with the opening of the beet slicing and sugar making season at the sugar factory last Monday, not sufficient beets being on hand to warrant the starting of the machinery. If the weather remains fair the beets will be coming in very fast the next week or two and the factory will be kept busy. Al Toppen has accepted the position of weighmaster and will have an assistant if the work becomes too arduous for him. The beet sheds have been enlarged and more beets can now be stored at one time. The beets are being unloaded directly from the cars of the interurban, a sidetrack having been extended to the sheds.

Geo. H. Huizinga, the jeweler, has received a fine lot of souvenir spoons of the Van Raalte memorial hall. It is the very latest thing out.

There is some misunderstanding about the law for the opening of the quail-hunting season. The most recent law places it at October 1st, but Attorney General Oren claims the season does not open till the 20th, and Game Warden Morse has instructed his deputies to arrest all violators of the law who hunt quail before that date.

Capt. Bean has discarded his old stand-by the Indian Bill, and sailed in to port from South Haven yesterday morning in command of the schooner M. H. Avery. The Avery is one of the best coasters on the lake and the captain intends to overhaul and repair her this winter. The Indian Bill is at South Haven. She will be brought to Muskegon and dismantled.—G. H. Tribune.

At Monday evening's public meeting at Grand Haven it was decided, by a practically unanimous vote of the audience, to submit to the voters of the city, in the near future, the proposition of bonding the city for \$35,000, seven thousand dollars of which will be expended in purchasing the Cutler Annex site and presenting to the government for a public building, and \$28,000 to be turned over to the board of trade, to secure new industries and improvements.

Du Mez Bros. are advertising a special bargain in the famous "Printess" brand of jackets. It is a \$12.00 garment, but by a close purchase they are enabled to sell them at \$10.00. A picture of this garment appears in their advertisement on the last page, with an exact description of same. Do not fail to see this jacket.

### BASE BALL ITEMS.

Why Holland's Team are the Champions.

During the past season the Holland team played over sixty games, losing only 14. All of the teams, with but a couple exceptions, were of a high order. The Battle Creek leaguers were blatted as also the colored champions of the country, the Chicago Union Giants. Most of the credit belongs to Capt. Neal Ball, who by his wonderful pitching and fine batting, has won the hearts of the Holland fans. The other boys, however, are not far behind, and Karsten, the young Zeelander, was the star performer in many a pitcher's contest.

Holland Outshines the All-American Stars in Playing.

Monday was the great day for the Holland fans, the Grand Rapids fans and Dickerson's admirers, the Holland team, and some stars from among the American leaguers, including veterans like Lajoie and the great pitcher Burdard. The game was held in Grand Rapids and was engineered by Dickerson, who considered Holland to be the best match in the state to put against the aggregation of stars which he had secured for the occasion.

Even the Holland admirers of Ball and his bunch were fearful that our boys would be "shown up bad" by the bunch of famous high-salaried leaguers. But, lo and behold! it took ten innings of the hardest kind of ball playing ever witnessed in western Michigan before the doughty Hollanders were beaten—and then only by a score of 2 to 1. Ball outpitched Burdard, Jim De Pree batted better than Lajoie, and Fox outplayed all the fielders as third base. It was a glorious victory for the boys from Holland, though the score seems to show defeat. The leaguers were put hard to all the time and found it was no baby play.

All the two or three hundred interested spectators from Holland felt proud of the yellow badge that day and will till the close of the season. The Grand Rapids admirers of good ball playing admitted that the game played there Monday was the fastest and hardest fought they had ever seen. Ball's pitching was phenomenal—even the great Lajoie being struck out.

The score: R H E  
All-Americans-1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1-2 10  
Holland- 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0-1 2 3

### Otsego Shut Out.

Hale and Foster were the star attractions on the local diamond last Friday. A small crowd had gathered to witness the game between Holland and the Otsego team. The Holland boys neatly arranged their hits as to make a couple of runs while Otsego was allowed but two hits and on these could not make a score, being completely shut out. The score: R H E  
Holland- 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0-2 5 3  
Otsego- 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0 2 3

### Two From Greenville.

On Tuesday but four innings were played in the Greenville game on account of the chilly weather. Paize and Hale were the opposing twirlers.

The score: R H E  
Holland- 0 0 2 0-2 2 1  
Greenville- 0 0 0 0-0 2 1

Paize was knocked out of the box by the heavy batting of the locals in Wednesday's game against Greenville and the great Buckner took his place in the fourth inning. He was not fast enough, however, to prevent several hits being secured from his hasty delivery, among them two home runs, one by Root and

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Double-breasted Jacket, 27 inches long, in fine kersey. The back is trimmed with five narrow rows of satin, stitched on each edge; there is a further trimming of stitched bands of the fabric and panne velvet, which outline a yoke. Turned down collar and reverses, pocket lays and all edges fully stitched. Bell sleeves, stitched and trimmed like the back with panne velvet. Lined throughout with satin, satin covered shields.

Colors, fawn, brown, blue, castor and black.

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one by De Pree. Ball opposed him.  
The score: R H E  
Holland- 2 1 3 1 1 1 1 0 \*-10 12 5  
Greenville-0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0- 3 6 8

This closes the series of games with Greenville, with Holland in the lead.

### Glorious End of the Season.

A collection of All-Stars reached Holland yesterday from goodness knows where.—Emerson W. Dickerson of Grand Rapids was one of them—to cross bats with the Holland team in the last exhibition game of the season. Grand stand, bleachers and diamond were filled with the largest crowd of Holland fans that ever swarmed into the grounds, there being over 1,000 paid admissions. It was Hale against Hall and Rider. The champs played all around the visitors and shut them out to the tune of 11 to 0.

The score: R H E  
Holland- 0 2 1 0 6 1 0 1 \*-11 19 2  
All-Stars- 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0- 0 2 3

### STREET PAVING MATTERS.

Last Friday several of the Common Council took the early train on a junket to Muskegon and Grand Rapids to inspect the street pavements in those cities. The party consisted of Mayor De Roo, and Aldermen Geerlings, Vanden Tak, Kiles, Nibbelink and Riksen, who were joined at Grand Rapids by Alderman Van Putten.

At Muskegon they were met at the depot by City Engineer C. D. Gamble and City Inspector of Street Improvements R. L. Haelett, and afterwards by Mayor Morgan and Aldermen Rietdyk and Robinson. On Fourth street they found a 34-foot roadway composed of 29 feet of asphalt block laid on sand, with 21-2 feet cement gutter and curb on each side. The asphalt cost \$2 per square yard and the gutters about 46 cents per lineal foot. On other streets they found various sorts of brick in use, laid on sand. The cost of these improvements ranged from \$117 to \$130 per square yard. The brick is flushed with thin Portland cement which makes one compact and solid mass of the entire street surface. On Western avenue, the principal business thoroughfare, there was a brick pavement laid on 6-inch concrete foundation at a cost of \$1.60 per square yard.

At Grand Rapids the committee were met by Mayor Palmer, Aldermen Hilton and Mohr, and City Engineer Anderson. In that city brick pavement was never laid upon sand but always on concrete. All the various kinds of pavements in use here were like those in Muskegon, at about the same cost.

Mayor De Roo, in an interview, on his return, expressed himself in favor of a brick pavement laid on a cement bed. These pavements seem the most durable and the cost of laying the same is not so much in excess of other pavements. The mayor estimates that

on Eighth street it will cost about \$4.40 per front foot for brick pavement laid on concrete foundation, and about a dollar less if laid on the sand. The party reports splendid treatment at the hands of the Muskegon and Grand Rapids officials and feel grateful for the courtesies extended.

### FAREWELL RECEPTION TO MR. AND MRS. ADAM CLARKE.

The parlors of the M. E. church were filled with a large number of the friends of Rev. and Mrs. Adam Clarke last Friday evening, who had come to bid farewell to them before they left for their new field in Marshall. Rev. Clarke made a short address in which he recalled the hardships through which the congregation had passed during his pastorate, the ties of friendship that had been formed and the great blessings God had showered upon them by so greatly increasing the membership of the church. He gave a description of his new field of labor and mentioned the hearty welcome that was awaiting him there. Dr. J. A. Mabbs responded in happy words in behalf of the congregation and expressed the sincere wish of all that the Lord might bless Rev. and Mrs. Clarke in their new field of labor.

### Of Interest to Women.

Women who have themselves suffered from the evil effects of constipation and indigestion will be interested in the following letter from a father whose daughter was given up to die by two physicians:

"My daughter has suffered from indigestion for the past five years and has tried nearly everything that she could hear of for such trouble. She was confined to her bed when she began taking Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and after taking one fifty-cent bottle she is able to walk a mile at a time and during the day yesterday walked 3 1/2 miles. I feel like praising Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin because two doctors told me my daughter could not get well and I feel that she is on a fair road to permanent relief.—Respectfully, J. H. M. Crocker, Nixon, Tenn., Aug. 6, 1900.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is sold in fifty-cent and \$1.00 bottles, under a positive guarantee, by Heber Walsh.

If you can't find your glasses go to Stevenson's where they will be replaced and fitted newly to your sight, and you will be glad you lost the old ones. An examination of the eyes means more than the mere trying on of different lenses if done at the optical rooms of W. R. Stevenson, 24 East Eighth street. With one of the best equipped offices in western Michigan, he has every means for making the most accurate and reliable eye tests and the best results are assured.

### Attention, Poultry Men!

Every member of the Holland Poultry and Pet Stock Association are urged to be present at the regular meeting Monday evening, October 6.

J. L. CONKEY, Pres.  
L. S. SPRIETSMAN, Secy.

## EXCURSIONS VIA THE PERE MARQUETTE

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Tickets will be sold to above points any day from Sept. 1 to Oct. 31, at very low rates. Ask agents for particulars as to routes, rates, etc., or write W. E. Wolfenden, D. P. A., Grand Rapids, for full information. 35-38.

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A hound strayed into my yard a few days ago. Owner can secure same by calling on undersigned, describing dog and paying charges.

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A fine lot of pigs for sale. Enquire of George Harrington, quarter mile south of city on Land street.

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